WEATHER FORECASTS

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MAJOR OBSTACLE IN ITALIAN SOMALILAND CLEARED BY BRITISH

Forces Battle Way Across Juba River, Driving Toward Capital and Chief Seaport of Colony In East Africa—Selassie's Patriot Forces Occupy More Ethiopian Territory

CAIRO, Feb. 20 (AP)—British forces have battled their way across the Juba River in Italian Somaliland to clear a major obstacle in the drive toward Mogadiscio, capital and biggest seaport of that East African colony, the Middle East Command announced today.

British sources gave this picture of their current East African campaign:

Crossing the Juba River, considered a real military feat in view of its tricky current, has put all Lower Jubaland into British hands. While one force crossed the river near its mouth, another was pushing into Upper Jubaland to the north.

SUPPORT OFFENSIVE

In Eritrea, the Royal Air Force supported the land offensive by bombing Desie and the roads in that area along which some Italians are being moved to Addis Ababa, Ethiopian capital.

Near gateway of the Gondam region of Ethiopia have fallen so the patriots report of Haile Selassie, which now are within 200 miles of Addis Abeba.

The Italians have fallen back on Burye, 150 miles from the capital.

Military authorities said it was too early to talk of any sudden push to Addis Ababa, and it was considered likely that the Ethiopian patriots would seek to join forces first with the British troops pressing on Gondar, some slightly miles to the north, and then clean up all the Lake Tana area.

Behind the British troops are 10,000 square miles of conquered territory in Italian Somaliland; ahead of them, some 225 miles up the coast, is Mogadiscio.

GARRISON SURRENDERS

NAIROBI, Kenya Colony, Feb. 20 (CP)—It was announced officially here today the Italian garrison at Mega, in Southern Ethiopia, had capitulated to South Africa troops.

Mega is forty miles north of the Kenya Colony border.)

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HAS FULL AID OF AUSTRALIA

Menzies Says Britain Not Alone as Long as Australian Resources Exist

LONDON, Feb. 20 (CP). — Prime Minister Menzies of Australia arrived today "to bring to the people of Britain the encouragement of the people of Australia."

Mr. Menzies came by air from Lisbon after a visit to Australia's troops ashore and airmen in the Middle East scene of operations.

The Dominions Office in a statement said Mr. Menzies came at the invitation of the British Government "for future wartime aspects of the war situation."

Mr. Menzies said Britain will "never be beaten while there are any of us above the surface" and added that the Australian troops he saw in Africa "regard the operations against the Italians in the nature of a preliminary canter; what they want to do is have a go at the Germans."

"I covered a range of country from Jerusalem to Bengasi and all together I flew about 3,500 miles in the Middle East," he said, "which is some indication how fast the Australian forces were travelling."

He said he brought a message of encouragement and confidence from Australia "and definite assurance that as long as Australia has any resources of any description Great Britain will not stand alone in this war."

He wanted "no witness at first hand what is going on here, what is being done and the spirit in which it is being done," so that he could tell Australia the truth about it.

BIOTING IN PARIS

LONDON, Feb. 20 (CP). — Women carrying babies crowded around town halls in Paris suburbs yesterday and demanded milk, while food rioting broke out at several points in the city, the British Broadcasting Corporation said tonight, quoting Vichy reports. The B.B.C. said the women were dispersed.

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WORKING FOR FREE ITALY

Italo-Canadian Official Predicts Bengasi Will Be Headquarters

MONTREAL, Feb. 20 (CP) — Anthony Spada, general secretary of the Order of Italo-Canadians, predicted tonight the establishment at Bengasi, Libya, of world headquarters for the "Free" Italian movement, with a fighting force of troops ready, if necessary, "to invade and free Italy from Fascism."

Supporters of the movement "must be first" for an outbreak of civil war in Italy, said Spada in an interview. "But if the dogs not come we will use a fighting force of Italians to invade the country and free Italy from Fascism." Bengasi would be the "most logical" place from which to operate.

READY TO JOIN

Spada said information from Italy gave dictates that up to 75 per cent of Italian war prisoners there are "ready to join" the movement. He added that "steps have been taken already" to enlist a fighting force among the troops captured in the British sweep through Libya.

He declined to elaborate upon the "steps" being taken or to reveal from what quarters in Egypt the information concerning Italian prisoners had been received. The Order of Italo-Canadians has been in

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Says Russia Acts As Trading Front

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20 (AP)—Chairman Martin Dies announced today the House of Representatives committee on un-American activities is preparing a report showing that Russia "is using its favorable position to act as a 'trading front' for Germany, and possibly other Axis powers."

Dies, who is in a more favorable position, compared with Germany than Russia, declared: "Russia is trading with us." Dies said "Transfers of funds and the purchase of supplies—that's the picture of Russia."

SAYS BIG PLANES SINGAPORE-BOUND

Newspaper Reports Two Hundred Bombers Being Flown From U.S. Across Pacific

NEW YORK, Feb. 20 (CP)—The New York Herald-Tribune says approximately 200 American - built Lockheed and Consolidated bombing planes, originally intended for the Royal Air Force in England are being flown from California ports across the Pacific Ocean to Singapore.

The bombers are being flown to Hawaii by American civilian pilots, taking various routes from such ports as San Pedro and San Diego. The Herald-Tribune says: "They were built on the Pacific Coast



Everywhere that Italians have clashed with British or Greek forces, many of Mussolini's man have reached their objectives, but not as planned. Here, a column of Italians who surrendered to Greek troops in Albania are a pushover finally reach Athens—as prisoners. They were captured by the Greeks on the Albanian front.

Demands Reason For the Failure of Production Plan

Conservative Leader Issues Statement on Unsatisfactory Condition of Aircraft Output—Wants To Know Why Government-Owned Corporation Is Not Functioning

OTTAWA, Feb. 20 (CP)—A request for a "full, complete and true" Government statement on delay in aircraft production, made by Opposition Leader Hanson, threw the House of Commons into a tenuminute turmoil at question time today.

"The excitement arose over Mr. Hanson's efforts to read a 500-word statement as an accompaniment to his request to the ministry, and the ruling of Speaker Glen which prevented him.

The ruling was based on the rule that when a question is asked it must not be accompanied by an expression of opinion.

Mr. Hanson's statement, which he afterward distributed to the press, declared that "the Government's announced programme has been a complete failure" The statement follows:

HANSON'S STATEMENT

I rise for the purpose of requesting from the Minister of Munitions

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EDEN AND DILL VISITING EGYPT

Trip of Foreign Secretary And Chief of Imperial Staff Is Significant

LONDON, Feb. 20 (CP)—Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden and General Sir John Dill, Chief of the Imperial General Staff were dined tonight to be in Egypt on a visit deemed highly significant in view of the uncertain attitude of Turkey and Greece toward the threat of Nazi invasion.

It is to gather together the strings of British diplomacy in the Balkans and Middle East it is believed here that Mr. Eden has been sent to Cairo.

Mr. Eden whose visit to Egypt last Autumn preceded the grand offensive into Libya by the Imperial Army of the Nile, is expected to confer in Cairo or nearby for a week or two. His arrival to Cairo was disclosed today.

MILITARY PROBLEMS

The fact that he is accompanied by General Sir John Dill, Chief of the Imperial Staff means that the main problems to be discussed will be military ones, the London information said.

He would not comment on a suggestion that Mr. Eden might see Turkish leaders while in the Middle East.

Britannia's capture of Eastern Libya like international conferences, a host of administrative problems and Mr. Eden is a fluent speaker of Arabic and, moreover, the ideal man for the job of cranking up odds and ends in the wake of the military occupation.

It is his third visit to the Middle East since the war began.

Mr. Eden hopes to see some centers of Libya which the British forces have occupied, the informant added. Whether he would visit other countries was not stated

SEE LITTLE OF ITALIAN AIRMEN

British Reports of Fascist Losses in Libya Are Conservative

LONDON Feb 20 (CP)—The Italian Air Force is not showing up much along the Libyan Coast, a Reuters News Agency correspondent with the British Mediterranean Fleet said in a report quoted tonight by the British Broadcasting Corporation.

The correspondent said he was told by a high Australian officer that British reports of Italian air losses are probably conservative and that the officer had seen some 600 destroyed Italian aircraft between Bibi Barrani and Bengasi.

The correspondent also reports that the German attempt to break sea communication with Libya by use of bombers has failed the B.B.C. said. A steady stream of ships is taking off unarmed thousands of Italian prisoners."

The correspondent estimated the number of these prisoners at 30,000.

"A number of Libyan volunteers traveled from Bengasi in the same ship as the correspondent and he was told by a British officer here during the advance beyond Derna Libyans rendered valuable services by dropping behind the retreating Italians and pointing out the minefields, the B.B.C. said

RESERVISTS CALLED UP

Rumania Mobilizes Million Men for Active Service By Mid-March

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia Feb 20 (AP)—Rumania has called nearly 1,000,000 army reservists for active service effective March 15, diplomats here and in Bulgaria were informed today, presumably to relieve the large German forces now stationed at her frontier with Russia.

Two possible explanations were offered here.

The first was that the Nazis while fearing no Soviet thrust, are mobilizing the Rumanians to occupy that flank while the Germans fill in the south at Greece to reach the Mediterranean.

ACCEPTED EXPLANATION

The second, and more generally accepted was that the Germans are getting ready to give away more of Rumania's territory to the Soviet, and figure that it would be easier to do that with Rumanian soldiers on the frontier than in the interior along that frontier of Nazi troops, who have been formally pledged to defend it.

The call-up held a certain urgency was illustrated by the fact that most of those summoned are farmers who ordinarily ought to be in their fields.

The Germans were said still to be carrying on their campaign to end the Italian-Greek war and were understood to be seeking the Greek Government's terms. The Nazis, so ran the available accounts here were bribing the Greeks that now is the time with British help could they

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FASCISTS FORCED BACK BY FRENCH

War Material and Prisoners Taken In Libya by Colonel Leclerc's Forces

NEW YORK, Feb 20 (CP)—A British Broadcasting Corporation report heard here tonight by the Columbia Broadcasting System credited Free French forces with new successes against the Italians in the Cufra, in Southeast Libya.

Quoting the Free French, a wireless message from Brazzaville, the B.B.C. said the Italians made a sortie from Cufra on Tuesday but after three hours of sharp fighting with motorized units the Free French, under Colonel Leclerc forced the Fascists back leaving war material and prisoners in Free French hands.

The Italian military communique of Wednesday claimed to have driven the French out of Kufra and at Cufra, but did not identify them as Free French

TWO SPITFIRES ARE SHOT DOWN IN SNOW

DOVER, Feb 20 (CP)—Two British Spitfire fighter planes plummeted to earth in flames over here tonight, victims of an aerial dogfight in a snowstorm when a British squadron met a formation of German planes crossing the Channel.

Both the British pilots were rescued, one by parachute with parachutes, but were believed killed Witnesses said one of the pilots who parachuted was seen to sag in a strong wind

The planes crashed ashore

Alfonso Reported As Rather Worse

ROME Feb 21 (Friday) (AP)—Former King Alfonso XIII of Spain was reported slightly worse early today and arrangements were made for a physician to be in attendance throughout the night The ex-monarch has a heart ailment.

JAPANESE TRANSPORTS SAID TO BE MOVING TROOPS SOUTHWARD

Shanghai Hears Stories of Ships Heading for Hainan Island—Fifteen Units of Japanese Fleet Said to Be Operating in Gulf of Siam, While Demands Being Made on Indo-China

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DEMAND NEW GOVERNMENT

Vancouver South Member Urges Creation of Victory Ministry at Ottawa

OTTAWA, Feb 20 (CP)—Demands for elimination of partisanship in wartime government were made in the House of Commons today from three Conservative members as the first session of the 19th parliament resumed.

Howard Green, Conservative Vancouver South) called for the creation of a victory ministry to direct the war effort. Grote Stirling, Conservative Yukon) called for the creation of a "victory ministry" to start a boycott of Japanese commercial interests and Japanese economic threat.

T. L. Church (Conservative, Toronto-Broadview) and Gordon Graydon (Conservative, Peel) urged a change in the Administration that would remove the party tinge and enable all groups in the House to aid and embrace the war effort.

CRITICIZES FINANCING

John Blackmore Regina) of the New Democracy group, criticized the Government's financial methods and declared that the bulk of the money to be raised would be obtained by creation of new money.

He denied that the Social Credit theory involved inflation and declared it would be possible to finance wartime production without inflation under safeguards by the people.

Arthur Roebuck (Liberal, Toronto-Trinity) was the only Liberal speaker during the afternoon sitting. He advised the House not to

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SUBMARINE SINKS SHIP OFF NORWAY

H.M.S. Sea Lion Shells Norwegian Craft After Waiting Crew Time To Take to Boats

LONDON Feb 20 (CP)—The Admiralty announced tonight that the British submarine Sea Lion had sunk after a 1,500-ton Norwegian ship under German control. The crew took to the Norwegian coast.

A communique, describing the attack, said:

"A Norwegian ship of about 1,500 tons which was operating under German control was stopped and set on fire by H.M. submarine Sea Lion (Lieut.-Cmdr. B. W. Mills, R.N.). She has been sunk. A number of casualties have been inflamed."

Lloyd's Register of merchant shipping lists the Norwegian ship as the M.S. Lista, built in 1935.

STEAL POLISH FODDER

LONDON Feb 20 (CP)—Fodder guards—safe and sure—have been sent on Germany to erase on journeys in Poland according to word reaching here. The Nazis also have instructed that the animals must be separated from non-Aryan and Polish herds

Reports Loss Of Auxiliary Naval Vessel

LONDON, Feb 20 (CP)—The Admiralty issued this statement on Thursday night:

"The Board of Admiralty regrets to announce the H.M.S. Crispin, an auxiliary vessel attached to the Navy (Lieut.-Comdr. B. Mobury, D.S.O., R.N.R.) has been sunk. A list of casualties have been inflamed."

Lloyd's Register of merchant shipping lists the Crispin as the M.S. Lady British freighter, built in 1935.

South Wales Bears Brunt of Air Raids On Following Nights

Swansea Chief Objective of Nazi Night Raiders—Early Attack on London Kills Nineteen in Hospital, With Fifty Wounded

LONDON, Feb 21 (Friday) (AP)—German planes returned to London early today for the second time since midnight and the third attack of the night. Anti-aircraft guns immediately went into action when the alarm came wailed, but early reports indicated the main effect of the bombing was to rob Londoners of their sleep.

This night alarm came shortly before 4:30 a.m. (8:30 p.m. MST, Thursday).

The second alarm came shortly before 1:30 a.m. (5:30 p.m. MST, Thursday) and the all clear was sounded about two hours later, with little action being reported.

Over the Channel, as on previous recent evening raids, night fighters swept into snow-filled skies to intercept the German planes en route to their attacks over British soil.

London had an earlier alarm, but it was over at 10 p.m. last night (5 p.m. PST).

Flying by starlight the Germans

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Thousands Expected To Line Streets for Tomorrow's Parade

Spectators Urged to Come to City Early and to Keep Streets Clear—Final Orders Issued To Many Units Taking Part

IF you want to see tomorrow's parade, be sure you reach the city not later than 2 p.m. That was the advice given to people of Victoria and the surrounding municipalities yesterday by officials in charge of the huge War Savings Parade that will provide the greatest military spectacle this city has ever seen tomorrow afternoon.

In particular, people who will be using public transportation services are advised to time their arrival in the city at least half an hour before the official starting time of the parade, 2:30 p.m. for, while the parade is in progress, traffic along the route will be halted.

Those who will be driving their own cars are urged to park them some distance from the parade route—and park early. If the weather continues as fine as it has been all week—and the weatherman's forecast suggests nothing to

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War Workers Are Urged to Speed Effort

Workers in Vancouver Island's war savings campaign were strongly urged to intensify their efforts in a resurgence drive in the same district as national war savings chairman, received yesterday by P. S. Wilson, chairman of the Vancouver Island committee

The message read

"The Minister of Finance has today called upon us to redouble our efforts to canvass every Canadian. He feels that many are ready and willing to pledge their savings, but are uncertain as to how to proceed

We are sending a special message to all local committees calling for a complete territorial canvass Please back us up to the utmost."

FRANCO-JAPANESE DISPUTE ARISES

Chinese Guard Goods Stored In Haiphong Cause of Rift In Indo-China

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FIVE FASCIST PLANES BAGGED

Little Activity Reported on Albanian Fronts—Greeks Consolidating Gains

ATHENS Feb 20 (CP)—Little activity was reported today from the Greek-Italian battle front in Albania except for artillery duelling and reconnaissance of ruined Greek gains in the area.

The Greek war report said Greek troops had occupied Kelcyre and Himara and that the Italians had been driven from the Himara region. Italian units were seizing arms a report from Greece dumped from Italian were dismissed.

Taken a heavy commissariat said Greek troops had captured "all dug in Italian artillery with a large quantity of ammunition and their retreat made a forced landing behind their lines."

STRATEGIC POST TAKEN

LONDON Feb 20 (CP)—Capture by the Greeks of an unnamed Albanian village in the central battle zone which the Italians had converted into a "veritable fortress" was described today in a report from an Exchange Telegraph correspondent quoting a Greek official broadcasting Corporation.

The correspondent described the village as one of great strategic value" and said an order found in the body of an Italian officer who was killed in the battle of the Italian army, on a stretching of the position.

The Greek attack, said no have taken part in the fight was preceded by the fire of heavy fire from fifth Italian machine guns mounted on the outskirts of the village Fifty additional machine guns are also guarding the surrounding forest the correspondent said.

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Half of Expenditures For War Will Be in Army Appropriations

Finance Minister Tells House Estimates Subject To Radical Change—Various Methods of Financing Are Suggested in Debate

OTTAWA, Feb. 20 (CP).—Close to half the $1,300,000,000 to be appropriated for war expenditure in the next fiscal year will be required by the army, Finance Minister Ilsley told the House of Commons tonight.

The air department will require $421,000,000, the navy $181,000,000, munitions and supply $180,000,000 and other departments $32,000,000, the minister said, but he emphasized that these estimates were necessarily subject to radical change.

Mr. Ilsley gave the figures after the House, late this evening, adopted his motion to go into committee on the resolution preliminary to introduction of the War Appropriation Bill.

He and Munitions Minister Howe met a barrage of questions from Opposition members pressing for details as to the manner in which the money would be spent.

Mr. Ilsley observed that the figures he gave in the breakdown totaled considerably more than the $1,300,000,000 but recalled that when he introduced the resolution he said he was not asking for the full amount of the departmental estimates for war.

ESTIMATIONS DIFFICULT

He said the actual needs for the next fiscal year might exceed by $150,000,000 the amount mentioned in the appropriation measure, and asked the House to realize how difficult it was to estimate what might be needed for a war, the course of which could not be forecast.

Mr. Howe was questioned on the amounts that had been advanced to companies to assist them in handling war orders.

He replied that some $42,000,000 had been advanced as "capital assistance" to private companies and $16,000,000 to Government-owned companies. When Opposition members pressed for further details Mr. Ilsley said they would be brought into the House later.

WAR SAVINGS

G. K. Fraser (Conservative, Peterborough West), proposed that 10 per cent of all salaries over $3,000 a year be paid in war savings certificates.

He said he was convinced all the money necessary for the war would be provided, but the Canadian people would want to know how it was being spent.

There were those in his riding who were refusing to subscribe to war savings purchases, claiming their sons were refused work on Government projects because they were not Liberals.

Criticizing waste in Government circles, Mr. Fraser read a letter from "a prominent newspaperman" describing Government publicity as "useless" and "uninteresting."

Saving should start in Ottawa, he said, referring to the number of blank pages in the orders of the day. There was also waste of coal in military camps, he said.

FAVORS COMPULSION

Angus MacInnis (C.C.F., Vancouver East) said those who have the resources should be forced to make them available, without interest, to provide the costs of war.

Norman Jaques (N.D., Wetaskiwin), said one of the sacrifices some Members of Parliament would have to make before the war ended was to discard some of their ideas "on what they are pleased to call sound money and sound finance."

It was possible the orthodox financial methods to which the Government adhered so strictly might not lose the war, said Mr. Jaques, but it was certain that they would "lose the peace."

If monetary policies were not changed there would be a terrible deflation after the war which would wipe out many of the things for which people were fighting.

DISTURBING REPORTS

The last speaker before the motion was adopted was Rev. A. M. Nicholson (C.C.F., Mackenzie), who told the House he had heard reports a party leader in the Senate had said dozens of businessmen had told him they were "leaning on their oars" because they were "only working for taxes."

If this were the case he thought the Defence of Canada Regulations should be amended to deal with such businessmen.

There could not be a united people if some insisted on getting profits while others were required to make great sacrifices with no thought of profits.

The motion to go into committee on the resolution was carried without a dissenting voice.

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School Days Return Again for Army Men



Senior officers commanding Canada's active service units must at the same time see to the elementary training of their own men, and themselves keep up-to-date on the latest in tactical developments. Laden with "school books," here is part of the group now taking a special short course at Royal Military College, Kingston. The Military College will soon be used only for this purpose. No new classes of cadets are being started. Second from the left is Captain Cyril Wightman, of Victoria.

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hope to hold the front before Salonika against the big German force massed at the Rumanian-Bulgarian border.

ALLEGED MINORITY VIEW

German sources also alleged that there was in Greece a strong minority opinion that favored mediation if Greece's frontiers were guaranteed.

Speculations that the Soviet was about to take another grab at Rumania—probably the Province of Moldavia—were based upon the widely-held supposition that Stalin had helped get Turkey to come to terms with Bulgaria and that this job had a price.

Discussion of the new Turkish-Bulgarian non-aggression agreement continued during the day, the Turkish press declaring that it would impede rather than aid any German scheme of getting at Greece.

Rev. C. C. McLaurin Dies at Calgary

CALGARY, Feb. 20 (CP).—Rev. Colin Campbell McLaurin, eighty-seven, "grand old man" of the Baptist ministry in Western Canada, died here today at the home of his son, C. Campbell McLaurin.

Active in the ministry for nearly seventy years, Dr. McLaurin came to Western Canada in 1897 and took up residence here in 1907. He was widely known as a missionary, author, traveler and lecturer.

Dr. McLaurin was born at Clarence, in the Ottawa Valley, in 1854.

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CLUB OBSERVES COMING-OF-AGE

Twenty-First Anniversary of Kinsmen Celebrated by Victoria Members

Victoria members of the Kinsmen Club gathered in Spencer's last evening to celebrate the twenty-first birthday of the largest purely Canadian service club. Organized in February, 1920, by a young returned soldier in Hamilton, the organization now consists of eighty-two clubs with a membership of almost 3,000.

Messages were read from Hal Rogers, the founder, and A. L. Galbraith, national president. The Victoria club has seen some fifteen years of service, several of the charter members being in attendance last night to enjoy a piece of the large birthday cake.

Doing its part to aid the war effort, the clubmen sold War Savings Stamps at the dinner. The quota of $125 was exceeded by $9—total $134 in cash. Russell Parks headed the committee in charge of the sale.

QUIZ SHOW

Preliminary arrangements were made for a monster quiz and musical programme, which the Kinsmen will promote in the near future. One of the principal aims of this venture will be to feature the Kinsmen Boys' Band, which is being groomed for the annual musical festival by Alfred Prescott, director.

E. H. Harris was named general chairman, while the sub-committee chairmen will be Hal Bourne, advertising; Archie Smith, tickets; George Patt, the quiz; George Fawcett, concert arrangement, and Alfred Prescott, music.

It is intended to stage an hour's programme, one-half hour of music by the band and a half-hour quiz. Valuable prizes will be offered for the audience in the auditorium and for listeners-in, the intention being to broadcast the quiz proceedings.

Dean S. H. Elliott was the guest speaker, stressing the high principles of the British as opposed to those of the Nazis. He was introduced by President Hal Winterburn and thanked by Howard Tyrrell. Entertainment was provided by Bob [illegible], and George Fawcett was introduced as a new member.

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and Supply a public statement with respect to a matter of vital public importance, namely, the present unsatisfactory state of aircraft production in Canada, and particularly with respect to the alleged failure of the wholly Government-owned corporation, Federal Aircraft Ltd., to function.

I make this request at this stage and in this manner rather than in the form of a motion for the adjournment of the House to discuss this definite matter of urgent public importance on the ground that we have no wish in the world to embarrass the Government's wartime production plans. There has, however, been so much delay in the production of aircraft, that it is quite apparent that the Government's announced programme, made on several occasions and as long ago as nine months, has been a complete failure.

NO PRODUCTION

Federal Aircraft, Ltd., was set up by the minister as a Government-owned corporation to co-ordinate the construction of Avro-Anson planes and it assumed certain important functions with respect to procurement and later the manufacture of certain essential parts, involving an expenditure of $30,000,000; but for some reason or other unknown to the public the efforts of this corporation have not produced results.

I am advised that around the end of the year, the acting minister of munitions and supply requested an opportunity to discuss airplane production problems with manufacturers interested in Anson bombers and met representatives of leading firms and learned at first hand of the chaotic plight of the Avro-Anson programme, and requested the manufacturers to give him their specific suggestions as to how this situation, which was the responsibility of Federal Aircraft, Ltd., might be remedied.

MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS

At the request of the minister, on or about the seventh of January the manufacturers submitted to the acting minister a unanimous recommendation as to what should be done. I have not been able to get a copy of this report, but I understand that it urged:

1. That Federal Aircraft, Ltd., be dissolved.

2. That De Havilland Aircraft of Canada be asked to manage or administer, for the Department of Munitions and Supply, the Avro-Anson project, taking over the personnel, materials, records, etc., of Federal Aircraft;

3. That De Havilland Aircraft assume responsibility for engineering and procurement of materials;

4. That the Department of Munitions and Supply take over the contractual and financial obligations and the financial functions of Federal Aircraft.

This document was signed by the chief executives of the six corporations under contract with Federal Aircraft to manufacture or assemble parts and components of the Avro-Anson plane, namely, Canadian Car & Foundry, Ottawa Car & Aircraft, Ltd.; National Steel Car Corporation, De Havilland Aircraft, Boeing Aircraft of Canada and, finally, Massey-Harris Co., Ltd. I wish it to be noted that, at the time these recommendations were made the gentleman who is now president and general manager of the Massey-Harris Company was occupying the position of deputy minister of the Department of National Defence for Air.

PROPOSALS SUPPORTED

I understand that matter was given attention by the chairman of the Wartime Requirements Board, and a leading executive in aircraft production in the United States was asked to come to Canada to investigate the situation and to give his advice, and I am informed that his views were in agreement with those of the Canadian manufacturers and confirmed the hopelessness of the Federal Aircraft situation in its present state, and that, on the basis of this report, the chairman of the board recommended to the Government that Federal Aircraft be abolished.

The matter was delayed to wait the return of the Minister, but as yet the public is unaware of any steps taken to change the existing Federal set-up. On January 21, the Minister is reported as having said, "I can see nothing at the moment to indicate that we would get more planes by upsetting the Federal apple-cart." He went on to make a forecast of production which is considered by aircraft manufacturers to be little short of fantastic.

INVESTIGATION PROMISED

I am further advised that after his return from England the Minister communicated by letter with the aircraft manufacturers who had signed the original memorandum. He promised that a thorough study of the situation would be made at once, and upbraided some of the firms for being behind in their deliveries. All the firms were requested to answer, as quickly as possible, three questions:

1. Will the taking of steps you recommend accelerate production of Ansons in Canada, and if so, to what extent?

2. On what facts do you base your opinions?

3. What guarantee can you and your group give as to a date when substantial deliveries of Anson planes will be made, provided your recommendations are accepted?

I am advised that a joint reply was made to this request but I am unaware as to its nature except that the manufacturers have reiterated the basic theme of the complaint against Federal Aircraft, which is that there can be no guarantee of performance under present or proposed reorganization so long as no schedule can be obtained from Federal Aircraft as to when engineering data, raw materials, parts, proprietary articles, castings, forgings, and finished parts, which are to be supplied by Federal Aircraft, will be available.

SEEKS CLARIFICATION

Without wishing in any degree to embarrass the Government, will the Minister give to the House a full, complete, and true statement of the position, and tell the House and the country what the Government intends to do to end the apparently impossible position in which aircraft production in Canada now is—one of the most urgent necessities in our war effort.

If the Minister is unwilling to do this in a public session, will the Government give consideration to a statement being made at a secret session, much as I should deplore that course?

BLACKHEADS
Don't squeeze blackheads — dissolve them. Get two ounces of peroxine powder from any drug store and apply gently with wet, hot cloth over the blackheads. They simply dissolve and disappear by this safe simple method.

MUSIC EXAMINERS ARE MADE KNOWN

Associated Board of Royal Schools Of Music, London, Encouraged By Appointments

Official confirmation has been received by the Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music, London, relative to examiners' appointment to Canada for 1941. They are as follows: Dr. J. Frederic Station, from Ceylon; Max Pirani, New Zealand; Wesley Roberts, West Indies, and Lloyd Powell, London, England.

The directors feel that the courage and determination of the Associated Board to carry on in these difficult times will receive the warmest co-operation of teachers and candidates.

SON OF BULGARIAN GENERAL IS KILLED

NEW YORK, Feb. 20 (CP).—Christopher George, one of three airmen killed in the crash of a Lockheed-Hudson bomber at Montreal yesterday, was disclosed today to have been the son of a Bulgarian general, Kosta Gheorghieff, assassinated by Communists in Sofia in 1925.

Christopher George had Anglicized his name and become a United States citizen.

WITHDRAWING ALL THEIR MISSIONARIES

NEW YORK, Feb. 20 (AP).—The Board of Missions and Church Extension of the Methodist Church today ordered the withdrawal of all its missionaries in Japan, Korea and Japanese-controlled areas of China.

Dr. Ralph E. Diffendorfer, executive secretary of foreign missions, who has just returned from Japan, said the action was taken in compliance with urgent advices of the United States Government.

AUSTRALIAN PREMIER ARRIVES IN ENGLAND

LONDON, Feb. 20 (CP).—Prime Minister R. G. Menzies, of Australia, arrived in England today by plane from Lisbon.

He came at the invitation of the British Government "to discuss various aspects of the war situation," an official announcement said.

En route Mr. Menzies spent several days in North Africa visiting the Australian forces.

COUNCIL IN LONDON

MONTREAL, Feb. 20 (CP).—Paul Borup, president of the Danish Club of Montreal, says he has been advised by cable of the formation in London of a Danish council to "work for British victory and liberation of Denmark" from German occupation.

MAILS RESTORED

BERNE, Switzerland, Feb. 20 (AP).—Postal communications between Italy and Switzerland, suspended February 19 without announcement of the reason, were re-established today.

DEMAND NEW GOVERNMENT

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be too overcome by the size of the proposed war appropriation.

NO PARTIES EXEMPTED

Mr. Green said he doubted "whether any member of this House would deny that at the moment neither the House of Commons nor the ministry enjoys the complete confidence of the people. He did not exempt any parties from his comments and he expressed belief that Canadian people were always distrustful of political parties as such.

"We have moved into a new world, a tougher world," said Mr. Green, "and we must meet new conditions with a new type of Parliament.

"Great Britain did it, but only under the threat of immediate invasion. The time has come for Canada to do it.

"There is no enthusiasm for any action taken by this ministry," said Mr. Green. "There will not be unless some changes are made at Ottawa."

STANDARD OF LIVING

Mr. Green said contemplated war expenditures meant "a lowering—and a drastic lowering—of our standard of living." While that was the situation at home, Canada was confronted abroad with the avowed intention of the dictators to destroy the British Empire in 1941.

"We have just returned from our constituencies," said Mr. Green. "I do not think anyone will dispute the statement that neither the House of Commons nor the ministry enjoy the complete confidence of the people at the moment.

"They certainly do not enjoy more than the normal confidence reposed by the people in a peacetime Government and that is not enough for war.

"I propose the Prime Minister form a victory ministry, in which each party in the House, Liberal, Conservative, C.C.F. and Social Credit would have representation," said Mr. Green.

"I propose such victory ministry should invite suggestions and criticism from all private members."

CURB ON OPINIONS

Under present conditions Liberal private members could not express their opinions freely in the House. They could speak frankly only in caucus. The result of this and of partisan debate was that two-thirds of the ability of members of the House of Commons was not employed.

Mr. Green spoke in the debate resumed today by T. L. Church (Conservative, Toronto-Broadview) who urged the utmost possible economy on non-war expenditures, in order to ease the burden on taxpayers as much as possible.

The heavier the tax burden became the harder it would bear on the Provincial and municipal Governments, who had to obtain money for essential services.

Mr. Church objected to suggestions being thrown out that this or that Provincial tax source would be taken away or interfered with. The Provinces and municipalities should be told clearly where they stood.

CHRISTIANITY INDIA'S HOPE

Archdeacon Devenish Explains Political Situation To Meeting Here

Briefly summarizing the present political situation in India, Ven. W. R. Devenish, former Archdeacon [illegible] night, declared that the better-educated Indians were now realizing that the Government of India had gone as far as it could in the matter of Dominion status, and that it was up to them to produce such an atmosphere in India as would make Dominion status possible.

Archdeacon Devenish, soon to take over the rectorship of St. Paul's Church, Esquimalt, was speaking to a largely-attended public missionary meeting in the Shrine Auditorium, arranged as part of the proceedings of the annual meeting of the Columbia Diocesan Board of the Women's Auxiliary to the M.S.C.C.

He declared that the only force that could unite such widely-differing races in India as the Hindus, Mohammedans and Sikhs was Christianity.

CONGRESS SPLIT

The Congress of India—a small party, comparatively speaking, but carrying a great deal of weight—had been split a year ago into two wings, Archdeacon Devenish explained. The Left wing was practically a Communist party, whose policy was to get rid of British rule in India at any cost, even that of civil war. The Conservative wing was prepared to accept Dominion status in the hope that eventually it would lead to complete freedom: it did not want civil war.

The split had occurred after Mahatma Gandhi had retired, and had resulted in his returning to control. He had not agreed to the policy of the extreme Left wing, but had consented to individual non-co-operation. "It is a serious movement, because the men who do carry a great deal of weight in India are now shut up in prison," the speaker said.

He remarked that it had been said that Gandhi would have become one of the world's greatest men if he had turned Christian.

WORK OF MISSION

Speaking of the church mission in India, Archdeacon Devenish declared that the work of the mission had seriously outgrown the accommodation, and mission schools, hospitals and leper homes were finding the lack of accommodation acute.

"Your mission is doing magnificent work; surely it is up to you to see that it isn't hindered by lack of funds," he said. He likened the relationship of the church in Canada and its mission in India to that of Britain and the United States, with Britain doing the fighting and the United States called upon to provide the ammunition.

Emphasizing the hardships, drudgery, discouragement and heart-breaking work of the missionaries, whom he described as the salt of the earth, Archdeacon Devenish urged the Women's Auxiliary to bring influence to bear to have the five-year period of service without home leave shortened to four years.

Five years in India without home leave, particularly under the conditions of work of the missionaries, was seriously injurious to health, he warned.

Rev. George Biddle, as chairman of the meeting, paid high tribute to the splendid work of the Women's Auxiliary, which he described as a vital factor of the church.

COLD HALTS PARADE

EDMONTON, Feb. 20 (CP).—The mercury dropped to an overnight low of 19 below zero at 4:30 a.m. in Edmonton. The sub-zero temperature, accompanied by a bitter east breeze, forced postponement until Friday of the big military parade in support of the war savings drive.

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PURELY VEGETABLE, 1-lb. carton 11¢; MAPLE LEAF LARD, 1-lb. carton 8¢

Dr. Ballard's: HEALTH DOG FOOD, 1's 3 for 25¢; CAT FOOD, 8-oz. tin 6¢; PUPPY FOOD, 1's, tin 12¢; MEATIES, Dog Biscuits, 14-oz. 12¢

AYLMER FOOD PRODUCTS: STRAWBERRY JAM, 4-lb. tin 45¢; RED PLUM JAM, 4-lb. tin 35¢; TOMATO JUICE, 10-oz. tin 5¢; KETCHUP, 12-oz. bottle 15¢; WHITE CORN, 16-oz. 10¢; SPINACH, 16-oz. 11¢; PEACHES, halves or sliced, 15-oz. 14¢; TOMATO OR VEG. SOUP 2 for 15¢

SPECIALS: A.S.A. Headache and Cold Tablets, bottle of 100 19¢; Listerine Tooth Paste, 25c size 3 tubes 49¢; Malt Extract with Cod Liver Oil, 2 lb. jar 59¢; Hinds' Honey and Almond Cream, 45c size 2 for 46¢; Halibut Liver Oil Capsules, box of 50 39¢; Genuine Ironized Yeast Tablets, $1.25 size 89¢; Woodbury's Facial Soap, 10c size 4 cakes 24¢; Beef, Iron and Wine, 16-oz. 49¢; Pure Norwegian Cod Liver Oil, 16-oz. bottle 59¢; Pure Russian Mineral Oil, 16-oz. bottle 29¢; Aromatic Cascara, 2-oz. bottle 9¢; Toddy, Chocolate Drink, 1 lb. tin with ½-lb. tin 37¢

LUX TOILET SOAP 2 for 9¢; P & G. SOAP Per cake 4¢; LIFEBUOY SOAP 2 for 11¢; CHIPSO Large 21¢, Small 9¢

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International Road Project Revived by Bill in U.S. House

Representative Anthony Dimond, of Alaska, Introducing Measure to Provide $25,000,000 —Report on Canadian Section Nearly Ready

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20 (CP)—A bill to provide $25,000,000 for construction of an international highway, which, with the consent of Canada, would connect United States and Alaska through Canada, has been introduced in the House of Representatives by Representative Anthony Dimond, of Alaska. It has been referred to the House committee on roads.

Dimond said today his bill does not have support of the Administration, but he hopes it will receive official backing as a national defence project. He said he had been in touch with officials of the War Office and would know within ten days whether the bill had their support. Without official support, the project has no chance of passing.

NO ROUTE SET

The bill would authorize $25,000,000 to be spent on the 1,000-mile road, providing the Canadian Government gave consent for its construction. It stipulates no route, Dimond suggesting that is a consideration for negotiations between Canada and United States, but his personal preference for the Northern section is from White Horse to Nabesna, Alaska, by way of Kluane Lake.

The Alaska Highway has been under consideration here since 1920 but Canadian authorities have never given their consent. It was impossible to determine the effect on the road proposal of the recent announcement from Ottawa that a chain of airfields would be constructed from the Canadian-American border to Alaska.

MILITARY IMPORTANCE

There have been three different routes proposed for the highway, which its proponents have suggested would have great military significance for United States, particularly in view of tension in the Pacific.

The Alaskan International Highway Commission, representing the United States, seems to favor a route from Seattle, through British Columbia to Hazelton, B.C. The British Columbia - Yukon - Alaska Highway Commission, representing Canada, has been reported here as favoring a more easterly route, via the Sifton Pass, entering Alaska at Glacier Creek.

A third route has been suggested by Vilhjalmur Stefansson, the Arctic explorer. It would run from Chicago, through the Prairie Provinces and down the Mackenzie Valley. He says it would open up the Norman oil fields to commercial use and, in his judgment, be the cheapest highway to build.

OTTAWA COMMENT

OTTAWA, Feb. 20 (CP)—The British Columbia-Yukon-Alaska Highway Commission has practically completed assembling information on possible routes, officials stated here today.

They said the commission, headed by Hon. Charles Stewart, might be able to present a final report next month.

Interim reports were reviewed by the Canadian and United States commissions last year and further investigation work was arranged to balance advantages of the "A" route, nearest the Pacific Coast, and the "B" route, running through the Rocky Mountain "trench."

"It cannot rightly be said that the Canadian commission favors any particular route," said an official. "Our policy has been to make our information as complete as possible and leave the final choice to the Government."

Among information collected recently were details of possible routes through difficult country in the Atlin and Telegraph Creek areas in Northern British Columbia.

Officials added there was no suggestion that consideration was being given to proposals, put forward in Washington, that the Dominion authorise the United States to construct the highway.

Y.P.S. NEWS

CONCERT TONIGHT

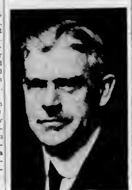
A concert under the auspices of the Local Council will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in Belmont United Church. Boyd Moore will be master of ceremonies and will start the programme with community singing. Solos will be given by Mrs. Ethel Barker and Mr. Gill Margison, and a recitation by Boyd Moore. Boys of the Belmont Society will put on a comedy number. The Centennial Branch will handle the main part of the programme with a play. Proceeds will be turned over to the Centennial Players for their trip to the Drama Festival. Candy will be for sale.

METROPOLITAN

Members of the Victoria West Branch were guests of the Metropolitan Society at a social on Tuesday evening. The meeting opened with a sing-song, led by Helen Gilliland. During the programme, accordion solos were played by Norma Jones, a quiz contest was conducted by Dick Johnson, and Leonard Cannon gave two recitations. Games were played and refreshments were served, under the convenorship of Doris Driver and Winnie Lees. The president of Victoria West, F. Painter, moved a vote of thanks. The next meeting on Tuesday, February 25, at 8 p.m., will take the form of a surprise night, to which members are asked to wear old clothes. All young people will be made welcome.

SOLARIUM BOARD NAMES OFFICERS

E. W. McMullen Elected President At Meeting Yesterday, Succeeding Capt. J. D. Hunter



E. W. McMULLEN

Succeeding Captain J. D. Hunter, M.P.P., who is now occupied with military duties, E. W. McMullen was elected president of the board of directors of Queen Alexandra Solarium for Crippled Children, at a meeting yesterday morning.

All other officers were re-elected by acclamation, as follows: Honorary president, Hon. E. W. Hamber, Lieutenant-Governor; honorary vice-presidents, Mrs. E. W. Hamber, Mrs. W. C. Nichol, Hon. John Hart, Hon. Dr. G. M. Weir and Hon. C. S. Leary; vice-president, F. E. Winslow; honorary treasurer, Charles Williams, secretary Miss F. A. Russell.

The board placed on record a unanimous resolution, expressing thanks and deep appreciation to all those who assisted in the bridge tea at Government House on February 12, 1941.

THOUSANDS WILL SEE BIG PARADE

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the contrary—it is expected that people will come to the city in their tens of thousands, and city police will see to it that private cars are not allowed to spoil the view of the mile-long parade, with its marching strength of 5,000, its eleven brass bands and many mechanized units of the three fighting forces.

BUNTING DISPLAYS

All stores, office buildings and private houses along the route of the parade are being strongly urged to display flags for the occasion, and it is expected that there will be an excellent showing of bunting.

Final orders for the parade were issued yesterday by Major George S. Yardley, parade marshal, after a conference the previous night with officers of the various units to take part. The orders require all units to fall in at the assembling points allotted to them promptly at 2 p.m., and for the procession itself to move off at 2.30 from the junction of Douglas and Government Streets and Hillside Avenue.

The units will assemble in the following locations:

Royal Canadian Navy — Hillside Avenue, east of Douglas Street, facing west (including the vacant ground behind Scott Building).

Canadian Army Active and Reserve Force Units—Douglas Street, between Hillside Avenue and Burnside Road (north of Hillside, facing south).

Royal Canadian Air Force—Hillside Avenue, between Government and Bridge Streets (west of Douglas Street).

Shrine Band, Corps of Commissionaires, Veterans, Rainbow Sea Cadets and Band — In order mentioned, Government Street, between Hillside Avenue and Bay Street (facing north).

Civilian Protection Committee Wardens and St. John Ambulance Units—North Ward School ground.

Highland Lassies' Band, British Columbia Women's Service Club and British Columbia Women's Ambulance Corps—Kings Road at Douglas Street.

Victoria Boys' Band, Girl Guides and the Boys' Brigade—Field Street.

ORDER OF PARADE

Escorted by city motorcycle police, assisted by Provincial Police, the parade will proceed in the following order:

1. Navy.
2. Army, Active and Reserve Forces.
3. Air Force.
4. Shrine Band.
5. Corps of Commissionaires.
6. Veterans.
7. Sea Cadets and Band.
8. Kinsmen Boys' Band.
9. St. John Ambulance.
10. C.P.C. Wardens.
11. Highland Lassies' Pipe Band.
12. Women's Service Club.
13. Women's Ambulance Corps.
14. Boys' Band.
15. Girl Guides.
16. The Boys' Brigade.

With the units of the fighting forces will march the bands of the Royal Canadian Navy, M.D. No. 11; 2nd Battalion, The Canadian Scottish Regiment; Royal Canadian Air Force, and the army Reserve Forces.

PARADE ROUTE

The route of the parade will be as follows:

From assembling point along Douglas Street to Yates Street; Yates to Government Street, Government to Belleville Street, passing saluting base on right on Causeway, opposite Empress Hotel; Belleville Street to Douglas Street, Douglas to Yates Street, Yates to Blanshard Street; Blanshard to Pandora Avenue; Pandora to Douglas Street, and along Douglas to the points of assembly. Each unit will then turn up the street on which it assembled and there disperse.

Car owners taking part in the parade will be required to park their cars well clear of the assembling area.

All ex-servicemen (not members of the Reserve Force or C.P.C. wardens) have been requested to fall in at 2 p.m. at their assembly point to participate in the war savings campaign parade. Brigadier J. Sutherland Brown, C.M.G., D.S.O., will be in command of the veterans' section.

Medals, decorations and berets are to be worn, and the standards of the organizations will be carried. The contingent will be headed by a brass band. All ex-servicemen residing outside the city have been cordially invited to take part in the parade.

RENTAL BOARD HOLDS SESSION

More Than 100 Applications For Increases Handled By Committee

Of the 104 applications for rent increases heard by the local Rental Control Committee in the Courthouse yesterday, sixty-seven were dismissed, twelve granted, twelve adjourned and thirteen had the judgment reserved.

As pointed out by Judge H. H. Shandley, chairman of the local committee, the majority of applications refused were submitted by landlords on pleas that the house was returning insufficient interest on the money invested, or that the applicant was confusing maintenance and repairs with major structural alterations. The latter only is just cause for a rental increase. Maintenance and repairs must be carried out by the landlord with the rent remaining at the rate as of January 2, 1940.

REFUND RENT

In several instances, landlords who raised the rent without sanction of the local committee were ordered to refund the amount of rent paid by the tenant over the level of January 2, 1940 and received after October 1, 1940.

Among applications granted by the local committee were those with special circumstances warranting the increase, for such reasons as that a house had been turned into a rooming house, that major structural alterations had been made and the tenant agreed to the increase, that the tenant had the right to remain in the house for as long as he desired, at the increased rental, and for the reason that the previous tenant had done janitor work not done by the present tenant, thus warranting a corresponding increase in rent.

RESERVE JUDGMENT

Judgment was reserved, or application was adjourned by the committee on the majority of cases for incomplete application forms advanced by the landlord, the wish of the committee to examine the accommodations in question to determine rent values, as corresponding with similar nearby accommodations; because the tenant sublet the suite without consent of the landlord, and because it will be necessary for the committee to amortize the increases asked on a justifiable basis over a period of years.

The next rental hearings are scheduled for next week, time and date to be announced later.

WORKING FOR FREE ITALY

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touch with the Canadian Government on the subject, Spada added.

THE FIRST OBJECT

The first object of the movement, said Spada, is to "break the bonds of Fascism in Italy and restore the democratic form of government." With the signing of an armistice between Italy and Britain, the movement's supporters would seek a military alliance between the two countries to defeat Germany.

Spada said the formation of a Free Italian committee in Canada will be discussed at the annual meeting here February 22 and 23 of the Order of Italo-Canadians.

Seeks Light—In a letter to the City Council, Carew Martin asked that a street light be installed at the intersection of Belmont Avenue and Regents Place.

BE AN APPLE EATER Enjoy B.C. APPLES

NAME OFFICERS OF PRESBYTERY

Rev. T. G. Griffiths Chosen As Chairman of Churchmen in Victoria



REV. T. G. GRIFFITHS, B.D.

Rev. T. G. Griffiths, Victoria, was elected chairman of the Victoria Presbytery of the United Church of Canada, which concluded a two-day meeting in the Metropolitan Church yesterday afternoon.

Succeeding Rev. A. McLean, Port Alberni, the new chairman will be supported in office by Rev. D. M. Perley, Sidney, newly elected secretary; Rev. N. J. Crees, former secretary and present assistant secretary, and J. Johnson, newly elected treasurer of the Presbytery.

Rev. Dr. Hugh Dobson, associate secretary of the Evangelism and Social Service Committee of the United Church, was nominated yesterday for the office of president of the British Columbia Conference of the United Church.

SUBMIT REPORTS

Submitted during the closing session yesterday were the reports of the various committees. Rev. T. G. Griffiths gave the report on "Christian Education," strongly recommending that the question of Bible study in the day schools receive the earnest attention of the church as a whole. He stated that real misgiving was felt that a large portion of the Canadian youth are being educated in virtual ignorance of their Christian heritage.

The missionary endeavor of the Church was received in the reports of the Home Missions Committee of the Missionary and Maintenance Committee.

The Presbytery deplored the increasing use of alcoholic beverages in wartime, but heard with gratification the reports of widespread dissatisfaction with such waste of money and strength, at a time when every ounce of the country's energy ought to be placed to best use in defence of Canada.

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Plays and Music To Be Given by Little Theatre

Two short plays will feature the Victoria Little Theatre Association programme in the Little Theatre Hall, Langham Court, Rockland Avenue, on Wednesday, February 26 at 8 p.m.

"The Monkey's Paw," directed by Mr. Stewart Clark, will include in its cast, Stewart Clark, Mrs. Downes, Albert Smith and Arthur Kerr. Christine Charter will direct "If the Shoe Pinches," and members of the cast include Peggy O'Grady, Sylvia Gould, Isabelle Sullivan and Marion Peterson.

Flute solos will be played by Nahdine Young, accompanied on the piano by Miss Marion Millar. Selections by the Little Theatre Orchestra, conducted by Alfred Prescott, will be played during the intermission.

Refreshments will be served.

NEEDED CHEERING

Jefferson had something the matter with his eyes, and told such a long tale of woe about them that his friend became really alarmed.

"I say, old chap," the latter exclaimed, "you ought to see an optimist."

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Friday, February 21, 1941

GOVERNMENTAL PARTISANSHIP

Mr. R. B. Hanson, the Conservative leader in the House of Commons, voices the opinion of all people in Canada, save perhaps "party heelers," in urging Mr. Mackenzie King and his colleagues to give up all partisanship in connection with war effort. It has been a notorious fact that the system of patronage has persisted, the more especially perhaps since Mr. King and his party were given a mandate by the electorate in March of last year. There is the spectacle of Members of Parliament becoming enriched because they are partners in firms which are awarded war contracts. The great majority of the appointments made to the score and one commissions and bureaux created to forward war effort have gone to Liberals. The thread of party patronage runs through the warp and woof of all this country is doing, and nowhere is that better known than in the localities where the headquarters of the different Military Districts are located, where there are naval bases, where the operations of the Air Force have their commands, all subject to political direction from a partisan Government at Ottawa.

Another point raised by Mr Hanson in his contribution to the Debate on the Address is that the Government itself, in its civilian estimates, is making but a poor sacrifice, while calling upon the people as a whole to sacrifice to the utmost. The Conservative leader points out that, in a reduction in those civilian estimates of some $18,000,000 for the coming fiscal year, $15,000,000 is represented by the fact that provision to that extent will not be required for the annual deficit of the Canadian National Railways. The Government-owned railway company is expected, by earnings or by economies, to provide this money. The actual amount that the Government is sacrificing in its estimates for 1941-1942, as compared with those for 1940-1941, is a little over $3,000,000. It should have been, and could be, $50,000,000, if the "frills" of Government were sacrificed for the duration of the War. One saving Mr Hanson says could be effected is the omission of the taking of the decennial census this year, a proceeding which costs in excess of $2,800,000. "The taking of a census," said Mr. Hanson, "is a purely peace-time activity. It could be postponed, and, in my view, it ought to be postponed."

Mr. Hanson is on the soundest ground in pointing to the extravagance of the Government in its publicity, or, more correctly, its propaganda expenditures. He says there are now 86 employees for publicity work, with salaries aggregating $164,000 a year, and he notes that the Bureau of Public Information alone had cost $202,000 up to November 30, 1940. There is no mystery, to the newspapers at least, as to what all these publicity officials are doing. For one thing, in newspaper offices, they are swelling the contents of wastepaper baskets. How much of the propaganda emanating from them is given vent by the Government-controlled radio is not ascertainable, but it is trivial in proportion to the output of the propaganda mill. The fact is that perhaps 90 per cent of the publicity work of the Federal Government goes to waste, except to the extent that it is done by advertising. It can be said for newspapers that they do not exist to run what are often grossly exaggerated statements on behalf of a partisan Government. They do not exist to print anything of that character without the ability to make inquiries as to its accuracy. Mr. Hanson is right: "The newspapers of this country will get the news, and it will not be 'canned' news."

The main point made by Mr Hanson is a matter of common record. The Government, he said, "did nothing at the start of the War to ensure rapid and effective mobilisation of the nation. It embarked upon a policy of moderate, and not maximum co-operation. The measure of this country's contribution was governed by political expediency." On the basis of this, the Conservative leader urges the Prime Minister "to renounce partisanship and to strengthen and reorganize the Government." It is to be hoped that Mr. Hanson meant something more than a mere reshuffle of the Cabinet, because nothing short of National Government will mean the ability to carry on the war effort to the extent the people desire. Reorganization of the Government should be from top to bottom, so that the head and front of the present offending may be removed. What is wanted is a political attitude which will envisage in deeds, not words, the gravity of the crisis facing the Empire as a whole.

UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF

Those provinces and their municipalities which, for upwards of a decade, have put forward the argument that unemployment relief is strictly a Federal matter, now find themselves burdened with the entire cost for the years to come. The Dominion Government has to relieve itself of some responsibilities in order to concentrate on war effort. It will be found, too, in the forthcoming Federal Budget, that there will be incursions on provincial sources of revenue. The outcome of all this will be, as the burdens of the War grow heavier, that the Provinces will find that they are handicapped at least as heavily, and perhaps even more so, than they would have been had they accepted the findings of the Rowell-Sirois Report. Under that Report the provinces would have been relieved of unemployment relief.

The argument that unemployment relief is purely a Federal affair never had any substance. On the contrary, the interpretation of the British North America Act makes it clear that it is a matter for the Provinces. That is why it was necessary for the Dominion to secure an amendment to the B.N.A. Act before it could institute its plan for unemployment insurance, which is now in process of being formed. When such unemployment insurance is in force, whatever unemployment relief is found necessary must be undertaken by the provinces and the municipalities.

The provinces are only at the beginning of experiencing new incursions on their authority, as the Dominion Government, under the War Measures Act, will find it necessary to secure more and more revenue. This will mean that there will be an increasingly imperative demand from the people for provincial economies, involving measures that should have found their inception in September, 1939.

TELEVISION IN NATURAL COLOR

Broadcast television was banned in Great Britain at the outbreak of the War, but the inventor, Mr. J. L. Baird, has been pursuing his experiments. Before hostilities he had made the [illegible] colors, and now he has brought it to a stage that makes it possible of commercial development. It is explained as follows by a special correspondent of The Times, London:

"Transmission is based on Mr. Baird's original spotlight system; but since its first demonstration eighteen months ago there have been big improvements, introducing a 600-line scanning with a complete picture frequency of 25 a second. Flicker has, therefore, been almost eliminated, and definition is exceedingly good. A cathode ray tube provides the only source of light, which is intercepted by a revolving disk, fitted with blue-green and red filters. After passing through the disk, a spot of light, alternating between blue-green and red, is projected through a lens on the scene to be transmitted. The scene is thus scanned by colored light spots, which in turn operate three large photo - electric cells sensitive to a wide color range. The current from these cells, after being amplified, would normally be fed to a broadcast transmitter, but in the recent demonstration, because of Government restrictions on wireless transmission, it was taken by land line to the receiver. On the reception screen, which measures 3 ft. 8 in. by 2 ft., the pictures corresponding to blue-green and red were superimposed, as in the familiar color printing process, to form a complete color picture."

GERMANY'S FINANCIAL METHODS

Some indication of how Germany finances both her war and her aggression was given by Mr. Graham F. Towers, Governor of the Bank of Canada, in a memorandum he presented on the occasion of the annual report of the institution. He pointed out that the Germans had made excess issues of new money within the Reich, and, for use in the occupied countries, they had printed great quantities of new money "to pay for the goods taken." Mr. Towers describes this process as "a refined method of looting," and says it imposes on the subject populations the hardships of monetary inflation, "thus helping to disrupt the economy and destroy the unity of the conquered people."

German taxation has not brought in the sums estimated it would. There has been heavy borrowing at 4 and 4½ per cent, borrowing in which the lendings are exacted compulsorily. For the time being Germany's monetary policy is inflicting the greatest injury on the conquered countries, for they have now a medium of exchange which, in the long run, will not be redeemable. Germany is steering them rapidly along the road to national bankruptcy. The Hitlerian philosophy and practice of credit and currency seem to be, "after me the deluge."

LONDON, 1940

Beloved London's ancient walls,
Battered by hail of steel and fire
Look down with proud and scornful ire
On all the ruin of its hells

So with disdain the pillared rock,
Deep rooted in mid ocean's bed,
Undaunted proudly lifts its head
Scorning the waves' imperious shock

So too the oak, that bows before
The furious raging of the blast,
The tyranny now overpast,
Unconquered rears itself once more.

In vain upon our stricken lands
The flying hordes rain death and fear
Fighting for all we hold most dear,
Old London's spirit firmly stands.

F. G., in The Times, London

Christ saw much in this world to weep over, and much to pray over, but He saw nothing in it to look upon with contempt.—E. H. Chapin.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7.00 p.m., Thursday, February 20, 1941.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

The weather has been cloudy over most of British Columbia, except fair in the Northwestern portion. Temperatures have been high in the Southwestern half of the Province, but low in the Northeastern half. Temperatures remain moderately low over the Prairie Provinces.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5.00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Precipitation	Min.	Max.
Victoria	..	39	52
Nanaimo	..	30	50
Vancouver	..	28	48
Kamloops		20	42
Prince George	.	1*	14
Estevan Point		40	51
Prince Rupert		33	46
Langara		37	43
Atlin		16*	6
Dawson		25*	8*
Seattle		30	55
Portland		30	59
San Francisco	10	51	60
Spokane		30	53
Penticton		22	.
Vernon		25	
Kelowna		21	.
Grand Forks	..	18	
Nelson		20	27
Kaslo		28	
Cranbrook		22	38
Calgary		6*	0
Edmonton		16*	2*
Swift Current		21*	2
Regina		43*	13*
Winnipeg		24*	2*
Wednesday—			
Toronto		18	30
Ottawa		4	40
Saint John		15	27
Halifax		19	38

* Below zero.

THURSDAY

Minimum	39
Maximum	52
Average	45
Minimum on the grass	32

Weather, cloudy. Sunshine, Feb 16, 6 hrs 30 mins.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.98; wind, SW., 6 miles, cloudy

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.98; wind W.-NW., 6 miles, fair

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.14; wind, W., 16 miles; cloudy

Prince George—Barometer, 30.30; wind, N.-NW., 10 miles, fair

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.16; calm; clear

Langara—Barometer, 30.13; wind, SE., 10 miles, clear.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.03; wind, NW., 6 miles; cloudy

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.90, wind, N., 6 miles, fair

Portland—Barometer, 29.92, wind, SE., 6 miles, fair

Seattle—Barometer, 29.96, wind, NW., 15 miles; clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.96, wind, NE., 10 miles; cloudy.

Note and Comment
By SANDHAM GRAVES

THE LOST DIARY (16)

On the battle honors of the First Canadian Division the word Festubert often passes unnoticed, but not by the men who were there. It was there the Canadians fought shoulder to shoulder with the Coldstream, Grenadier, and Irish Guards to daylight attacks across open swampy ground; against a German salient held by strong points, machine-gun [illegible] twenty feet in thickness, behind uncut wire. The Division lost more than 1,000 men to a series of attacks, to which they drove the Germans out of strong point after strong point. They gave their name to the orchard, which remains the Canadian Orchard in military history to this day. It is a pity to have to record that the whole series of British attacks ordered at Festubert were a tragic failure; part of a disastrous attempt on the part of the Allies to renew open warfare under trench conditions that had become a state of siege. It was part of the Spring offensive begun at Neuve Chapelle, and continued at Aubers Ridge, La Bassee, and later Loos; in conjunction with French attacks in the Artois region. Between May 17 and May 26, the Canadians fought it out alongside of the Wiltshires, the Guards, and the Highland Division, mingling their dead on the same field. Because the action had an important bearing on the development of the First Canadian Division, it cannot be avoided here.

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Scarcely ten days after the withdrawal from Ypres, the 3rd Canadian Infantry Brigade was ordered to Merville, to front of the German salient. A few days later the 1st and 2nd Brigades of the Division followed. All three brigades were to action in the attacks. On May 17-18, the 3rd Brigade was mustered at Indian Village, a forward assembly point, under orders to take The Orchard. The attack was made by the 14th and 16th Canadian Battalions, alongside of the 2nd Grenadier Guards and the 1st Irish, of the 4th Guards Brigade. It was made in broad daylight across marshy fields, pitted with waterlogged shell holes and broad shallow ditches, under gruelling machine-gun fire at a range closing to 250 yards. The Canadians advanced in four waves at fifty yard intervals, each man five paces apart from his companions. The advance made 500 yards, and then bogged down, men digging in upon ground that filled with water one to two feet under the surface.

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On May 20 the attack was renewed by four companies of the 15th and 16th Canadian Battalions in broad daylight once more. The 10th Canadian Battalion co-operated in the same assault, and ran into murderous machine-gun fire. On May 21, the assault was renewed in a thunderstorm by the Highland Division and the Canadian Division, in Alderson's Force. In the forty-eight hours to follow the 10th, 5th, 7th, 3rd, 4th, details of the 6th and part of the new Cavalry Brigade were in heavy action, after the relief of the 3rd Brigade. Before their relief, the 16th Battalion took The Orchard, men pouring through two small gaps in a hedge, only to find uncut wire and machine-gun nests on the other side. They waited for nightfall, and held on. On May 24 the 2nd and 4th Battalions charged in a combined assault on the Rue d'Ouvert. On May 25, the Allied Command decided, somewhat tardily, that the Festubert salient was not "a suitable place" for an attack, and the First Canadian Division was withdrawn. All three brigades had suffered punishing losses, some battalions reporting 250 casualties, that is, nearly half of their remaining effective strength.

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Festubert with The Orchard taught the First Canadian Division one lesson that it never forgot. That was respect for a foe who was entrenched behind strong points, with a clear superiority of artillery and machine-gun fire. Later on, when the Canadian Corps was acting as a unit, the Canadians used that knowledge to great effect. They developed their own plans of attack, declined Army orders for map-made assaults in broad daylight over fire-swept terrain; worked out their own methods of advance—and took every objective they were sent against, where such ground rested on their own initiative. But at the time, Festubert was a shock to men already sorely tried and tired. They could see the insane folly of assaults ordered by men who did not know the ground. They were inclined to blame their own leaders, unjustly as it is now known to be. What many have called the obscenity of war bit deeply into the souls of men who had refused no task, however hard. Givenchy, following Festubert, was only more of the same thing. The Division was badly shaken. But even there, the pride of the men held up. They had fought shoulder to shoulder with the Guards. The Canadians had already become shock troops of the line, a position they never afterwards yielded. With all its tragic, fatal errors, Festubert was another milestone for the Division; and another star for Canada in the field. When on June 28 the Division moved from Givenchy, after a troubled tour in the line, to Ploegsteert, these lessons had been fully absorbed. "Plugstreet" was like going home.

The Observation Car
By THE EDITORIAL STAFF

A Literary Gem!

It is an uncommon occurrence for witnesses to become "muddled up" while giving testimony, often as a result of nervousness or cross-examination by an attorney, during the course of a trial. It is rare, however, for a lawyer to become so confused that he is unable to continue a coherent line of patter while peppering questions at a witness—but it sometimes happens. One such occurrence involved one who was seeking to weed the truth from a not-too-intelligent witness. The lawyer's exact words follow, if you can follow them: "Was his clothes as wet as you would say it was, if it hadn't been raining?" We don't blame the witness for just staring at the prosecutor in complete amazement.—W.I.F.

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Not Much Chance

A Broad Street boy who belongs to one of the Home Guards regiments has a burning embition to join the Air Force and become a pilot. The youth in question becomes dizzy every time he mounts a ladder or elevates his carcass above street level. So it looks as if he will have to stick to soldiering . . . The City Council parks committee, which just loves to cut down trees, is planning to remove shrubs on Hollywood Crescent in order that plane trees may be planted, or interred, or whatever it is they do to them. Since the crescent probably derived its name from the holly trees, it is reasonable to assume that the inter-municipal committee, which just loves to alter street names, will find a new title for the street . . . Not long ago Mona acquired a flowing false beard to play a joke on her young nieces. Blossom borrowed the face moss in order to impersonate a bearded lady and tell fortunes at a charitable affair, and later it disappeared. Eventually Blossom returned the beard in a rather bedraggled condition. "Look here," Mona chirped, "Was it moths, or did somebody pluck out the hairs while you played she loves me, she loves me not?" . . . A captain stalked into the mess at an Island military training camp and barked, "Any complaints?" A youth immediately replied, "Yes, sir." The captain bellowed, "Well what is it?" The young soldier answered that it was the food. "Where do you think you are?" the officer snorted. "You should go and eat in a logging camp," he sarcastically added. "That is where I came from, sir," the soldier grinned.—G.B.

CHURCH FIRE-WATCHERS

LONDON (CP).—To stem destruction of churches by Nazi fire-bombs, many congregations have started a roster of parishioners under command of vicars, church wardens and vergers for continuous watch on the church buildings.

Tides at Victoria

FEBRUARY

Time of tides (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February 1941.

Date	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

The time is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt DryDock at any tide, add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily Colonist of February 21, 1891.)

Half-Yearly Accounts—The abstract of the Public Accounts of the Province for the half-year ending December 30 shows a balance of liabilities over assets of $790,382.00. The total revenue of the Province for the half year amounted to $350,425.21, the summary of expenditure for the half year having been $493,231.65.

The Saanich Ball—The ball given in the Agricultural Hall at Saanich on Thursday night was a pronounced success. The majority of Saanich's sons and daughters were present, 112 couples in all, with about twenty-five visiting Victorians. The London Harmony Band, under the direction of Professor Reynaud, supplied the music, and, at intervals, sleigh bells were used, the merry peals adding to the effect of the music. A sumptuous supper, prepared by the ladies of Saanich, was served at midnight and the dance was resumed until 5 a.m. It is expected that about $200 was cleared, which will be used for the benefit of the Saanich Agricultural Association.

Scow Capsized—Yesterday while the steamer Alert was towing a large scow, laden with lumber from Howe Sound, for A. Heathorn, the scow capsized, throwing the lumber afloat. Although the Alert managed to get most of the lumber into the harbor a portion of it was lost. It is thought that $800 will cover the loss.

Publication Gives Much Information On War Production

A vivid picture of operations in Canadian industries engaged in the manufacture of munitions and other supplies is presented in a war production number, just issued by Industrial Canada, the official publication of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. Many pages are filled with photographs illustrating the production of base metals, shells, fuses, guns, aircraft, ships, all food and clothing. Photographs are also included of the Minister of Munitions and Supply and all the important officials in his department, including the members of the Wartime Industries Control Board and manufacturers who are directing the activities of the various Government-owned companies engaged in war work.

A feature of the number is an analysis of the replies received to a questionnaire sent to all members of the association to December. Among the highlights of this analysis are the following: Over half the firms replying were working on war orders; about one-third were working two shifts, about 10 per cent three shifts; 62 per cent made expenditures during 1940 on plant extensions, new equipment and other improvements; 21 per cent planned considerable expenditures in 1941; two-thirds increased employment in 1940 on an average of 50 per cent; the majority reported skilled labor as very scarce, but no serious difficulty in securing ordinary help; 56 per cent found difficulty in securing raw materials and equipment, 62 per cent stated that Canadian business in 1940 had increased as compared with 1939.

Letters to the Editor

A letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 300 words in length.

TO SEE THE PARADE

Sir,—I am a casualty back from England only a few days ago. Do you know of some person who would be kind enough with a car to take me down to the parade on Saturday, as I am not able to get around very well at present. I am a returned soldier from the last war.

R. PONSFORD.

St. Joseph's Hospital, Victoria, B.C., February 20, 1941.

COMFORTS FOR MINE SWEEPERS

Sir,—Referring to the annual statistical report in The Colonist of February 14 on the woolies sent overseas to England by the local depot of the Royal Naval War Comforts Committee, the Admiralty, it is desired to make a correction. The words "or those of equivalent thickness and closeness" should be added to the end of the sentence "The greatest need at present is for seaboot stockings and thick Indian sweaters."

The policy of the depot has always been to co-operate with the C.P. ocean services on the Coast and send over only those woolen articles for which there is an unending demand. Cargo space at this time is at a premium, hence every case here is packed while bearing this factor in view.

While the articles received at the depot continue to show a very high standard of workmanship, there are two articles which have definitely put the city of Victoria and Vancouver Island on the map at the headquarters in London—of the Missions to Seamen. These are the Indian sweaters and the Mellor mitts (for the handling of wire ropes). As regards the Indian sweaters, a few ladies are making splendid sweaters, just as thick and close as the above, using locally-spun wool white in color and a dark blue border round the bottom. Both for sweaters and seaboot stockings the knitting should be very close, so that one pair carefully made is of far more use to the mine sweepers than several pairs loosely knitted.

The several teams which are making the Mellor mitts in Victoria have reached a very high standard this being the report from the London headquarters. It is right here to give due recognition to the splendid special work done by Miss Alison Jones, of "Roccabella," in looking after the buying, shrinking the materials, distributing the materials and helping to keep up the standard of the work besides knitting stockings and making some of the mitts. The secretarial work of this party is ably attended to by Miss J. K. Peters. It is pleasing to be able to report that recently at the request of Commander B. L. Johnson, D.S.O., R.C.N.R., the naval officer in charge at Vancouver, a sample pair of Mellor mitts was loaned him as an exhibit for working parties, and he reports that the Red Cross working parties in that city are aiming to make 300 pairs.

Copies of the standard pattern of the seaboot stocking as issued by the headquarters of the Missions to Seamen, London are being made in the city, so that knitters engaged on this work can now obtain a clear drawing giving the sizes in inches. A sample standard stocking is kept on file at 50 King George Terrace, where it can be seen by appointment.

On behalf of the staff of the comforts depot.

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V.H.S. Alumni Appoint Three New Officers

Three new members of the Victoria High School Alumni Association have been elected to serve on the executive of the association as a result of recent vacancies in the offices of vice-president and chairmen of clubs and activities and sports.

At the meeting on Wednesday night at the Cat 'n Fiddle, the new officers were appointed as follows: Bob Akins, vice-president; Bob Luxton, chairman of clubs and activities committee, and Herbert Tisdale chairman of the sports committee.

It was announced that arrangements for the association's annual co-ed dance, to be held at the Crystal Garden on Friday, February 28, have been completed. Proceeds of the affair will be in aid of the Queen Alexandra Solarium.

General meetings in the future, it was decided, would provide more entertainment with less emphasis on routine business matters.



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According to Culbertson

In deciding whether to bid or pass borderline hands, experts subconsciously employ a measure which is now being put into the Culbertson system as a formal rule. It is simply this: When your hand is a plus value short of an opening bid, and you cannot decide whether or not to open the bidding, count the honor cards (an honor card is any ten or higher card). If the hand contains six or more honor cards, it usually is wise to overlook the plus value shortage. Indeed, those six honor cards may in themselves be considered a plus value which can be added to the total honor trick count of the hand. Compare the following holdings:

1. ♠ K 6 3 2 ♥ A 5 4 2 ♦ A J 8 ♣ 4 2
2. ♠ K Q J 5 ♥ K 10 8 6 ♦ A 6 5 ♣ 4 2

Both these hands count precisely two and one-half plus honor tricks, yet hand No. 1 should not be opened, whereas hand No. 2 most certainly should not be passed. The difference, of course, lies in the relative solidity. The presence of six honor cards in hand No. 2, as against only four honor cards in hand No. 1 makes all the difference in the world. Thus it will be seen that the rule of adding a plus value for six or more honor cards is an effective and simple method of valuing "intermediates" which, incidentally become of enormous importance in the play of close contracts.

TODAY'S HAND

South, dealer.
East-West vulnerable.
Match point duplicate.

NORTH
♠ 10 9 8 7 6
♥ A 8 6 6
♦ 7 4
♣ J 6

WEST
♠ K Q J 8
♥ K 6 4
♦ A J 8
♣ 10 5 3

EAST
♠ 5 2
♥ —
♦ 8 6 6 5 2
♣ Q 9 8 7 6 4

SOUTH
♠ A 4
♥ Q J 10 9 7 2
♦ K Q 10
♣ A K

The bidding

South	West	North	East
1 ♥	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
Double	Pass	Pass	Pass

West could have rescued himself from the dangerous situation created by South's take-out double by the simple expedient of bidding one no trump over it, anticipating a possible leave-in by North. When he failed to do so, East hardly could risk increasing the contract by a "stab" rescue with either minor suit. Besides, his heart void and two trumps were reasonable support, he thought. As it turned out, he was right! North's leave-in of the take-out double was tempting despite his four hearts, because of his own nonvulnerability against West's vulnerability.

North's opening lead of the heart ace, however, was far from shrewd. Since the declarer had contracted for only seven tricks, it was extremely unwise to plan to "ruff him down" with heart leads. With a quadruple sequence in trumps North had everything to gain and nothing to lose by attacking the trump suit itself.

Dummy ruffed the heart ace and led a diamond to declarer's ace for the cashing of the heart king and the ruffing of the other heart loser. After that declarer simply waited for the defenders to lead spades. By this means he made his three top trumps.

Obviously, on the proper opening of a trump, dummy's ruffing power would have been reduced to nil and, in addition, declarer's king of hearts would not have been established. In short, a three trick penalty, 800 points instead of a fulfilled contract would have resulted.

TOMORROW'S HAND

South, dealer.
Neither side vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ J 8 4
♥ K Q
♦ J 8 6
♣ K Q J 7 5

WEST
♠ A 6 5 2
♥ J 10 5
♦ A K Q 7 4
♣ 10

EAST
♠ 7
♥ 9 8 6 4 3 2
♦ 10 3 2
♣ 8 6 4

SOUTH
♠ K Q 10 9 3
♥ A 7
♦ 9 5
♣ A 9 3 2

Mr Culbertson will discuss this hand in tomorrow's column.

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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

Necessary to Put Captured Steamer In Proper Repair

Tom Reid, Member for New Westminster, Hears About Cost of Work Done on Weser and Why It Had to Be Completed

OTTAWA, Feb. 20 (CP).—Cost of repairs carried out by the Canadian Government to the captured German freighter Weser was $106,544, it was disclosed today in a tabled reply in the House of Commons to a question by Tom Reid (Lib., New Westminster).

Mr. Reid's inquiry on damage to the Weser, captured by a Canadian auxiliary cruiser off the coast of Mexico last Fall, brought this answer:

"The hull was not damaged, but it was very badly covered with marine growth of hard substances. The engines and machinery, when opened up, disclosed defects to the extent of about 75 per cent; consequently, repairs were necessary."

Repairs were carried out by Yarrows, Limited, Victoria, after a survey by William Addie, described as a first-class engineer with British Board of Trade certificates and with more than twenty years' service with Canadian National Steamships, and Capt. H. S. Hilton, who also had more than twenty years' experience with C.N.S.

The reply said that "in view of the fact that the ship had been in Southern waters for a long time and that it was absolutely necessary that it should be classed with Canadian Government regulations, as well as any commercial society, for classification, to open up for their (Addie and Hilton) inspection of engines, and all other machinery, including refrigerating machinery, tanks, steering gear, et cetera, to ascertain the actual internal and physical condition of the vessel.

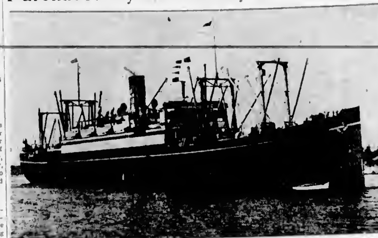
TENDERS CALLED

"For this work and for such renewals and repairs as were apparent at the time, tenders were called, the successful tenderers being Messrs. Yarrows, Limited, Victoria, who were given the work.

"As the opening up of the various parts progressed, it was found that additional repairs and renewals were absolutely necessary, and to have endeavored to secure prices on this work would have meant that as each individual item disclosed itself, a new call for tenders would have been required, which was not practicable and, as is the common practice under such conditions, the work was carried out by Messrs. Yarrows Limited, the ship being at their plant and all opened up."

After her arrival in British Columbia ports, said the reply, the Weser was placed under the Canadian Government Merchant Marine.

Purchased by U.S. Army for Transport



A REGULAR caller at the port of Victoria when she operated in the Seattle-Victoria-Orient service of the American Mail Line, the Ss. President McKinley has been purchased by the United States Army as a transport. She is leaving Seattle for San Francisco today. The McKinley is one of five of the old American Mail Line ships calling here before the service was discontinued. Of the other vessels, the President Jefferson was purchased by the army last year and shifted to San Francisco last November. Two more, the President Jackson and President Grant, were bought by the United States Navy and are now being rebuilt at the Todd Seattle Drydocks, while the fifth, the President Madison, was sold to Philippine interests, later being wrecked in the Orient. The "President" ships had accommodation for 300 passengers and had a speed of seventeen knots.

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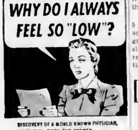
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"REBEL" ARTIST DIES

LONDON (CP) — Prof. Frederick Brown, once a "rebel" artist and later an accepted leader in his sphere, died recently at his home at Richmond, Surrey. He was eighty-nine.

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Hourly Pay Rate Of Longshoremen Raised in South

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20 (AP) — The pay of C.I.O. longshoremen today was boosted to $1 an hour for straight time and $1.50 an hour for overtime, despite the openly expressed dissatisfaction of the Waterfront Employers' Association with the efficiency of the union men.

The wage increases amounted to 5 cents an hour for straight time and 10 cents for overtime, and were granted in accordance with provisions of the longshore agreement requiring a wage review at this time.

DISCONTINUING PLANE SERVICE

Vancouver-Seattle Link of T.C.A. to Cease Operation in April Next

VANCOUVER, Feb. 18 (CP).—S. J. Hungerford, president of Trans-Canada Air Lines and Canadian National Railways, said in a statement today that T.C.A. will discontinue in April its Vancouver-Seattle service.

"The volume of passenger business between the two cities has not encouraged Trans-Canada to seek an extension of its licence" from the Civil Aeronautics Board of the United States, Mr. Hungerford said, and it was felt the aircraft and crew now flying between Vancouver and Seattle could be more advantageously employed in a third transcontinental service T.C.A. is inaugurating this Spring.

Mr. Hungerford noted a United States air line already operates between Vancouver and Seattle "and the two cities will continue to have regular mail and passenger service by air."

DAYLIGHT ROBBERY

Two burglars had broken into a tailor's shop and were sorting out some suits when one of them saw one marked $50. "Bert, look at the price of that one," he said. "Why it's downright robbery!"

COMING FROM JAPAN PORTS

Hikawa Maru Due at William Head Quarantine Station Next Monday

Due from Japan ports, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha Ms. Hikawa Maru will arrive at William Head at 6 o'clock on Monday morning, according to Harry Douglas, local agent for the steamship company.

The Hikawa Maru has seven first, twenty-two tourist and fifty-one third class passengers for Vancouver, and three first, thirty-two tourist and fifty-one third class travelers for Seattle aboard. Her cargo for British Columbia and overland discharge comprises 1,360 tons.

RELIEF VESSEL

The B.C. Coast Service Ss. Princess Louise, which has just completed overhaul, will take over the Ss. Princess Adelaide run between Vancouver, Ocean Falls and Prince Rupert on Wednesday next, according to B.C. Coast Service headquarters. The Princess Adelaide will be out of service until March 18. Work will include general repairs and hull cleaning and painting.

AUSTRALIA RUN

Advices from Melbourne state the Nippon Yusen Kaisha Line is placing three 10,000-ton ships in the service between Japan and Australia. These will replace smaller vessels that have been engaged in the run. The announcement was accompanied by the statement that Japan is supplying many items essential to war activities, such as material for uniforms, electrical equipment and machine tools. Return cargoes to Japan include available primary products such as meat.

ADDRESSES NOT CLEARLY GIVEN

Postoffice Authorities Have Difficulty With Some Remittances for Overseas

"Those remitting money to our forces overseas by money order should be sure that the addresses to which these remittances are made out are correctly and clearly given," Hon. William P. Mulock, K.C., M.P., Postmaster-General advises.

One of the little-known functions performed by the base postoffice Canada, is the checking of lists of remittances sent to the soldiers overseas.

According to the Canadian Postal Corps Headquarters in Great Britain, on some days as many as 300 remittances are received. Most of these remittances are made out in such a manner that there is no difficulty in their reaching the addressees without delay.

Unfortunately, a number of these remittances are incorrectly made out, or as in the case of many letters, bear garbled addresses. This causes delay, since it necessitates a search through the records, and this delay may also bring complaints from the addressees, who may wonder why their money has not arrived. Besides the anxiety and delay occasioned, the extra work entailed adds to the ever-increasing work overseas.

A special procedure is already in operation whereby a remittance from Canada to one of our soldiers by postoffice money order, is changed to a postal draft overseas, payable at any postoffice or field postoffice, so that the addressee can receive his money with the least possible inconvenience.

In cases where money is remitted to the soldiers abroad through express companies or banks, the Postoffice Department has agreed to visa these lists when submitted, to see that the addresses are correctly given, so as to minimize the time of delay.

Calgary Man With Royal Air Force Is Awarded Cross

LONDON, Feb. 20 (CP).—Flying Officer J. C. Fleming, Calgary, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, it was announced today. No reason was given for the award, but it is believed to have been conferred in connection with convoy escort duties.

Fleming was born in 1917 in Calgary, where his father lives. He studied in Haultain High School and the Western Canada High School in Calgary. He enlisted in 1936 in the Royal Canadian Artillery as a gunner and two years later was commissioned in the Royal Air Force. He took a flying boat course in 1939 and an advanced air observer course in 1940.

BRIXHAM, England (CP).—Confronted with prices, in some cases eighty times higher than six months ago, this Devon town's food committee has appealed for fixed prices for wholesaling and retailing fish.

MAIL AND SHIPS

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN — Overcast, light northwest, [illegible] gentle swell.

PACHENA — Part cloudy, low patches, calm, 30.01, 50, light swell.

CARMANAH — Part cloudy, calm, 30.05, smooth.

CAPE BEALE — Clear, calm, 30.30, light swell.

LENNARD ISLAND — Part cloudy, light northwest, 30.00, light swell.

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 4 p.m. Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive from Vancouver daily at 3.10 p.m. Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will leave for Vancouver daily at 12 midnight. Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will arrive from Vancouver daily at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE — Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 8.30 a.m. Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive from Seattle daily at 1.15 p.m. Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 5.15 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive from Seattle daily at [illegible] a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES — Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 5.15 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 6.15 a.m.

SWARTZ BAY—SALT SPRING ISLAND — Ms. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay daily except Wednesday, for Fulford Harbor at 7.30 a.m. and 6 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor for Swartz Bay daily, except Wednesday, at 8.15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10.30 a.m. Tuesdays, for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 6.30 p.m. Mondays.

WEST COAST — Ss. Princess Norah or Ss. Princess Maquinna will leave Victoria for Port Alice and West Coast points of Vancouver Island on the 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will leave Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday at 7.30 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will leave Nanaimo Saturday only at 7.30 a.m., 6.30 p.m. and 8.15 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will leave Nanaimo Sunday only at 1.45 a.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will arrive at Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday, at 1.30 p.m. and 5.30 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will arrive at Nanaimo Saturday only at 1.30 and 5.30 a.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will arrive at Nanaimo Sunday only at 1.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m.

NANAIMO-GABRIOLA — Ms. Eressidio will leave Canadian Pacific Wharf, Nanaimo daily (except Wednesday), at 8.30 a.m. for Gabriola.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY — Ms. Cascade will leave Brentwood for Mill Bay every day, except Sunday, at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m. Ms. Cascade will leave Mill Bay for Brentwood every day except Sunday, at 8.30 a.m., 10.30 a.m., 2.30 p.m., 3.30 p.m., 4.30 p.m. Ms. Cascade will leave Brentwood for Mill Bay on Sundays at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 6 p.m., 9 p.m. Ms. Cascade will leave Mill Bay for Brentwood on Sundays at 8.30 a.m., 10.30 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 2.30 p.m., 5.30 p.m., 6.30 p.m., 9.30 p.m.

TIGHTEN UP ON EXPORTS

Embargo Regulations Extended Cover Gas in Metal Drums or Containers

In the past few months there has been many news stories in the Coast press about ships sailing for the Orient with cargoes of metal and gasoline contrary to the embargo law which went into effect some time ago. Some of the stories were partly true, some could not be substantiated. At the same time there is undoubtedly some misunderstanding about what is supposed to be prohibited from export; while on the other hand it is reasonable to assume that a certain class of shipper has managed to beat the law occasionally, a somewhat dangerous business to be caught at.

At any rate, whether true or only partly so, the stories have had the effect of tightening up the regulations and extending the embargo. The publicity growing from their publication has meant the extension by United States Federal decree of the Export Control Act to cover "metal drums and containers for oil, gas and other liquids," which went into effect on February 15. This extension will make the United States practically "gas tight" as far as Japan is concerned, in the opinion of California oil men. In a lesser degree, the same authorities see in the new export control extension a shutting off to Japan of a sizeable supply of scrap metal.

Gasoline and oil drums weigh about fifty pounds and their combined weight over a period of twelve months would be considerable. In recent months the greater portion of the country's gasoline export trade was in metal drums of which Japan took a considerable portion. Purchase by Japan of gasoline in drums in the closing months of 1940 showed a 250 per cent increase over 1939. In the first eleven months of last year Japan purchased 2,044,202 barrels of all grades of gasoline in containers.

LARGE PURCHASES

During November, the last month for which records are at present available, Japanese purchases were to the amount of 746,000 barrels, or about 40 per cent of the total gasoline shipments by the United States for that month. This compares with 215,000 barrels bought by Nippon in 1939.

From the point of view of drums or containers as scrap metal, their total weight for the year is not an unimportant supply of scrap metal. If Japanese purchases of gasoline and oil in drums continued on the scale of November, 1940, at the end of the year she would have received 2,790,202 drums of an approximate weight of 69,755 tons of scrap metal.

SAYS REPORTS GROUNDLESS

TOKIO, Feb. 20 (AP).—Sir John Latham, Australian Minister to Japan, called on Vice-Foreign Minister Chuichi Ohashi at the Foreign Office today and the two talked for an hour. Domei, Japanese News Agency, said Ohashi informed Sir John the reports of a "Far Eastern crisis" were groundless.

Obituary

CLAYTON—Rev. Canon E. V. Bird conducted the funeral service for Edwin James Clayton in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon in the presence of many friends. The hymn "Abide With Me" was sung, and Mrs. R. M. McIntosh rendered the solos, "God Will Take Care of Me" and "The End of a Perfect Day." An abundance of beautiful floral tributes was received. The following were the pallbearers: V. McN. Rolfe, W. F. C. Pope, Walter E. Staneland, A. H. Shotbolt, H. P. John and K. K. John. The remains were laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

CELLE—Rt. Rev. Monsignor A. O. Baker, V.G., sang the Requiem Mass for Victor Celle in St. Andrew's Cathedral yesterday morning. The following were the pallbearers: M. Celle, Louis Celle, Peter Celle and Leslie Entwistle. The remains were laid at rest in Royal Oak Burial Park. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company was in charge.

COLES—Many friends attended funeral services for Samuel Coles which were held yesterday afternoon in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel. Rev. F. W. McKinnon conducted the services, during which the hymns "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" and "Forever With the Lord" were sung. Interment was made in Colwood Burial Park with the following as pallbearers: D. Cobb, L. Pennell, N. Coles, S. J. Coles, B. Coles and A. E. Coles.

PATTERSON — Funeral services were held for Walter Patterson yesterday afternoon in McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel. Rev. W. L. McKay conducted the services, during which the hymn "Rock of Ages" were sung. "No Night There" was also sung as a solo by Mrs. S. C. Gillie. Interment was made in Colwood Burial Park, with the following, all members of the Prairie Club as pallbearers: J. P. Owens, M. Myer, O. C. Keith, J. Cole, G. Clifford and O. Fritch.

HETHERINGTON — Mrs. Henrietta Hetherington, 31 Gorge Road, died yesterday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital. Born in England, she had been a resident of Victoria for thirty years. The remains are resting at the Sands Mortuary, where funeral service will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Interment will be in the Colwood Burial Park.

KENT—Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Kent took place yesterday afternoon in Sands Mortuary, Ltd. Rev. Canon Chadwick conducted the service. The following acted as pallbearers: F. W. Hearle, S. W. Green, M. Delamere, C. Cruickshank, J. T. S. Wilson and J. T. McHattie. The remains were then forwarded to Royal Oak Crematorium.

MASON — Funeral services for Mrs. Druallia Mason will be held this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the family residence, 1756 Coronation Avenue. Rev. G. A. Reynolds will officiate and interment will take place in the family plot at Colwood Burial Park. It is requested that no flowers be sent. S. J. Curry & Son have charge of arrangements.

DOOLEY — There passed away yesterday, at St. Joseph's Hospital, William Arthur Dooley, Dominion Hotel, aged fifty-four years. He was born in Victoria and had lived here all his life. For twenty-five years he had been in the B.C. Coast Service. He is survived by his brother, J. H. Dooley, of 1170 Yates Street. The funeral will be on Saturday, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 8.45 a.m., proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Requiem Mass will be sung at 9. Interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. Prayers will be offered in Hayward's Chapel this evening at 8 o'clock.

RODGER—A large congregation attended the funeral of Mrs. Jemima Rodger held yesterday afternoon from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Rev. N. J. Crease conducted the service, and the hymn "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" was sung by the congregation, and the solo, "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," was rendered by MacKenzie Mawer, Vancouver. A profusion of beautiful floral tributes surrounded the casket. The members of Court Triumph, A.O.F., attended in a body. The following were the pallbearers: H. Sayer, R. Bent, William Laurison, A. Vivian, A. Linn and MacKenzie Mawer. The remains were laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. The A.O.F. service at the graveside was conducted by Sister J. J. Pilgrim, P.C.R.

RAISING FUNDS FOR LONDON HOSPITALS

NEW YORK, Feb. 20 (CP).—The "adoption" of nineteen London hospitals, many of which have suffered bomb damage, and organization of a national campaign in the United States to raise funds for their rehabilitation, was announced today by Bundles for Britain, Inc.

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SAANICH CUTS SCHOOL COSTS

Municipality to Pay $6,509.42 Less for Administion This Year

Saanich School Board estimates for the current year will total $138,768.17, it was announced following the meeting on Wednesday evening. Of this amount the corporation will pay $90,967.97 and Government grants will comprise the remainder of $47,800.20. Notable factor is that Saanich will have $6,059.42 less to pay for school administration than last year.

This is due to the fact that Government grants have been increased, while certain reductions have been made in the estimates for supplies, repairs to schools, and industrial arts. The latter course was instituted in 1940 and naturally cost the school board more than it will this year.

Teachers' salaries for 1941 will total $91,630. The Government grant for teachers, nurses, dentist, transportation and industrial arts amounts to $44,780.20. The remainder of the grant is made up as follows: Transportation, $2,600, and industrial arts, $420.

Balance of the ordinary expenditures are: Janitors' salaries, $10,247.50; fuel, $2,650; supplies, $5,500; medical service, $2,500; repairs, $7,252; transportation, $5,200; office expenses, $1,895; general expenses, $2,185; interest and sinking fund, $8,111.07; fire insurance $457.60, and industrial arts, $1,140.

SENATOR JONES VISITS VICTORIA

Visitor Assured of Conservative Victory at Ottawa in Next Election



SENATOR G. B. JONES

"There's no doubt that the Conservative party will again be in power after the next election," said Senator George Burpee Jones, Apohaqui, N.B., in an interview yesterday at the Empress Hotel.

"The waste, as demonstrated down in our part of the country, by the present Government is something terrific. Our people are up in arms about it," he said.

Registered at the Empress Hotel, the senator is taking a brief holiday before resuming his duties in the Senate. In Victoria for the past several weeks, Senator Jones expects to return East toward the end of next week.

Minister of Labor in the Meighen Cabinet in 1926, he resigned his portfolio with the defeat of the Meighen Administration. He was summoned to the Senate in July, 1935. He was for fourteen years a member of the Legislature prior to accepting the ministry in the Meighen Government.

The visitor expressed envy of the coastal climate and indicated that he was regretful at not being able to make his sojourn on the Island for an even longer period.

ARMY TAKES BAKERIES

SOFIA, Feb. 20 (AP)—The Bulgarian army took control of bakeries and their personnel throughout the country today presumably to assure bread supply for new troops called up in recent days. The bakers continued also to serve the civilian population under army direction.

SOUTH WALES HAS HEAVIEST RAIDS

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flew over London and towns in West England, Southwest England and South Wales, where the industrial port of Swansea bore the brunt of a Wednesday night raid.

A HEAVY ATTACK

Soon after nightfall, the raiders made a heavy attack on a town in South Wales (perhaps Swansea again), coming over in a stream and dropping a large number of incendiary bombs, followed by high explosives. They were met by intense anti-aircraft fire.

The night raiders came after sporadic day attacks on four East England towns by lone aircraft, two of which were shot down. No damage was reported in the towns.

Nineteen dead and fifty-two wounded were removed from a large London municipal hospital, one wing of which was blown apart by a direct hit last night. Patients were killed in their beds and others were found trapped in the wreckage.

A few persons were killed in other places in London, and there were several casualties and much damage at Swansea, in the Wednesday night raids. The Government also reported attacks in East Scotland and South England.

Not Helping Fascists to Make Escape

LONDON, Feb. 20 (CP)—The British Broadcasting Corporation tonight quoted "reports circulating in Vichy" that Chief of State Marshal Petain has refused a request by Mussolini that Italian troops in Libya should be allowed to use Tunisia "as a way of escape."

Mussolini's proposition was, according to the reports, put up to Petain. The marshal is said to have refused on the grounds that, under international law, the defeated French would be obliged to disarm their conquerors.

Announcements

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Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, February 25, 2.45 p.m. Speaker, Mrs. Nancy Pyper. Topic, "What Have We to Fear?" Soloist, Miss Joyce Berman, violinist.

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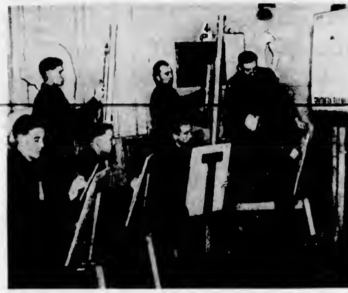
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BRITISH CLEAR MAJOR OBSTACLE

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More than 600 prisoners were taken and a majority of these were Italians. Many rifles and machine guns also were captured.

A heavy attack by South African bombers on Yavello, Ethiopia, resulted in hits on the fort, camp and barracks.

The raiders met with heavy fire from pom-poms and machine guns.

BRITISH COMMUNIQUE

NAIROBI, Kenya Colony, Feb. 20 (CP)—British headquarters issued the following communique Thursday.

"The South African Air Force was active in Abyssinia (Ethiopia) and the Juba River area of Italian Somaliland.

"On February 18 bombers attacked Yavello, dive bombing the fort, camp barracks and administrative buildings.

"Many heavy bombs and incendiaries were dropped and many direct hits obtained on all four targets. Enemy pom-pom and machine-gun fire was met with at Yavello.

"Offensive reconnaissances were carried out by other squadrons over Mega, Moyale and Gelib. Enemy shelters near Moyale were bombed."

Says Hitler Let The Italians Down

BOSTON, Feb. 20 (AP)—Sir Gerald Campbell, British Minister to the United States, said here today that Germany, by failing to back up Italy at a critical moment, was largely responsible for the Italian defeats in Libya.

Sir Gerald told a press conference that Germany and Italy had agreed to wage simultaneous campaigns against Great Britain—the Nazis to invade Great Britain while the Italians pushed through Egypt toward the Suez Canal.

"Hitler let the Italians down" at the last moment, Sir Gerald said.

Little Stories for Bedtime

Jerry's Suspicion Dies Hard

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

Suspicion's a persistent thing.
It will not die but cling and cling.

Once faith and trust have been driven out by suspicion it is twice as hard to restore them as it was to establish them in the first place. That is why anyone who plants in the mind of another suspicion of someone else does the very worst kind of an injury if it happens that there are no grounds for a suspicion.

Just take the case of Jerry Muskrat and Farmer Brown's boy. Through kind and thoughtful deeds for a long time Farmer Brown's boy had established faith and trust in the minds of Jerry Muskrat and all the other little people of the Green Forest, the Green Meadows and all the Smiling Pool. They had learned to regard him as a true friend. Then along had come a stranger who also pretended to be a friend. Day after day he brought dainties for Jerry Muskrat until Jerry regarded him just as he did Farmer Brown's boy and wasn't the least bit suspicious.

Then the stranger had set traps and Jerry had been caught by the tail in one of them. It was just good fortune that he had been able to get away, but all Jerry's faith and trust in two-legged creatures called men had been destroyed. He was suspicious of every one of them including Farmer Brown's boy. To be sure, the latter had taken away the stranger's traps and had left a notice warning the stranger to stop trapping along the Laughing Brook and around the Smiling Pool. But Jerry couldn't read that notice. All he knew was that the stranger had been good to him just as Farmer Brown's boy had and then had set a trap for him. How could he be sure that Farmer Brown's boy wouldn't do the same thing?

So, though Farmer Brown's boy



He no longer swam about freely when Farmer Brown's boy was there as he used to

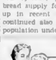
came to the Smiling Pool every day and did everything he could think of to show Jerry that he was a true friend, Jerry continued to be suspicious. He no longer swam about freely when Farmer Brown's boy was there as he used to do. Instead he remained hidden until Farmer Brown's boy went away.

Always the latter left good things for Jerry to eat, things Jerry was fond of—pieces of sweet apple, carrot, parsnip and pumpkin. But for a long time Jerry would not touch them. When at last he did venture to eat them it was only after a very careful search for hidden traps.

The queer thing is that all the time Jerry wanted to trust Farmer Brown's boy as he had in the past. But the memory of his sore tail and his dreadful fright kept suspicion alive. It simply wouldn't die. Farmer Brown's boy knew it was so and understood why. It made him sad and also it filled him with anger toward the trapper who had destroyed the old faith and trust.

Next story: Jerry Meets With an Accident.

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City and District

Selling Tax Lands—Prince Rupert was authorized by the Provincial Government yesterday to sell $1,500 worth of lands repossessed on for tax default.

Loading Zone—Application has been made at the City Hall by the B.C. Electric Railway Co., Ltd., for a thirty-foot extension of the bus loading zone at the northeast corner of Douglas and Yates Street.

Canteen Entered—Detectives are investigating the theft of $71 in bills from a canteen at the Bay Street Armoury. Entry was gained by forcing back the latch of a lock.

To Entertain Soldiers—With an entire new programme, the Y.M.C.A. Red Triangle concert party will entertain soldiers at Parson's Bridge Camp tonight at 8 o'clock.

Wallet Stolen—T. D. Robertson, 1207 Douglas Street, informed police that a wallet containing a driver's licence, registration card and a passport had been stolen from his car.

Wage Question—A request from fire department employees for an increase in pay to meet the rising cost of living will be submitted to the City Council on Monday night by fire wardens.

Car Entered—L. D. Tourneau, a visitor from Portland, Oregon, reported to police yesterday that a thief who gained entry to his car parked on Humboldt Street by smashing a front door window stole a pottery vase valued at $12.50.

Is Convicted—In the Saanich police court yesterday afternoon, T. Alexander was convicted of an assault charge and fined $10 by Magistrate H. C. Hall. G. Mowat and P. Tausan, arraigned with Alexander, were acquitted.

Six Fined—Two motorists were each fined $2.50 in the city police court yesterday for parking over the hour limit. Two others each paid $10 fines for speeding past school zones. One paid a $5 fine for ignoring a traffic control signal. An East Indian was fined $2.50 for driving his truck over a sidewalk.

To Open Saturday—To facilitate the issuance of motor licence plates, the Provincial Motor Record Office, Menzies Street, will remain open on Saturday until 5 p.m., Inspector G. A. Hood announced yesterday. The issuance of plates for the new motor licence year will continue until February 28.

Boy Hurt—Eddie Gats, aged seven, 1709 Queens Road, was injured on Shelbourne Street last night when he ran in front of a car operated by E. W. Haw, 600 Gorge Road. He was taken to the Royal Jubilee Hospital, where he was treated for minor bruises on the head and body, police reported.

Youth Training—Dominion and Provincial youth training schemes this year may be concentrated upon mechanical and aircraft classes designed to train men for war industries, Hon. G. S. Pearson announced yesterday. The Federal appropriation for the purpose remains unchanged at $1,500,000, the Minister of Labor said.

Real Estate Speaker—G. Neil Perry, British Columbia director of the Bureau of Economics and Statistics, will be the guest speaker at the Real Estate Board of Victoria luncheon meeting today at 12:15 o'clock in Spencer's dining-room. The topic chosen by Mr. Perry is "Land Values, Taxation and Agricultural Resources."

Woman Injured—Mrs. Olive Webber, 1205 Johnson Street, was injured last night at 11.10 o'clock while attempting to cross Cook Street at the intersection of Cook and Yates. She was struck by a car driven by Robert McMurchie, Cordova Bay, police reported. She was taken to the Royal Jubilee Hospital and was treated by Dr. O. S. Bigelow for a cut over the eye.

New Dwellings—D. C. McPherson secured a $1,200 city building permit yesterday to construct a three-room dwelling at 2835 Nanaimo Street. It will measure twenty by eighteen feet with no basement and exterior walls of siding. V. Midgley was granted a $2,900 permit to build a four-room dwelling at 1518 Westall Avenue for C. Parsons. It will measure twenty-six by thirty-two feet with fir and oak floors, no garage and stucco exterior walls.

Will Be Adjudicator—Leonard Miller, Vancouver, has accepted an invitation from the Community Drama Branch of the Department of Education to adjudicate at the school festival, which is to be held in the auditorium of the Victoria High School on April 29 and 30. Eleven schools have entered plays. A similar festival for schools is being held in Vancouver on March 14 and 15, and fifteen schools there have expressed a wish to participate.

Man Found Drowned—Louie Lozowsky, sixty-two-year-old Polish worker, was found drowned at Rock Bay yesterday according to advices to the Provincial Police. Missing since December 31, Lozowsky had apparently fallen into the water near the point where his body was recovered. He was engaged as a steel foreman at the Merrill, Ring & Wilson logging camp at Rock Bay. A nephew, Michael Lozowsky, resident of Vancouver, survives him.

Are Returned—H. C. Oldfield was returned as chairman and Alderman John A. Worthington vice-chairman, during the annual meeting of the Board of Cemetery Trustees of Greater Victoria on Wednesday night. Mr. Oldfield, Alderman Worthington and Councillor George Austin were named members of the building and grounds committee. Alderman R. A. C. Dewar, Alderman Edward Williams and Councillor John Oliver were appointed members of the finance committee.

Traffic Charges—Motorists paid fines totaling $77.50 in the Saanich police court yesterday. One driver pleaded guilty to driving in a manner dangerous to the public and was fined $25. Another was convicted of having faulty brakes and headlights and was fined $15 on each charge, three paid fines of $2.50 each for obstructing sidewalks with their cars, one was fined $15 for speeding through a school zone; two were assessed $5 each for not having their drivers' licences and one was fined $5 for not observing a stop sign.

JAPANESE MOVING TROOPS SOUTHWARD

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Too, the Japanese accused the Indo-Chinese of seeking to obtain is attempting to monopolize the rubber trade.

200 British military aircraft, to be used by "Free French" aviators in a scheme to throw Indo-China into the British camp.

DEMANDS FACILITIES

All this coincided with reports here that Japan, which is mediating a minor border war between Thailand and Indo-China, had demanded of both countries virtually unlimited military facilities "in the event of necessity," the complete economic co-operation in Tokio's projected "greater East Asia."

Reports from Batavia, Dutch East Indies, said those colonies were prepared to defend themselves against any attackers.

INCREASING AIR POWER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20 (AP)—Swift steps will be taken to strengthen United States air power in the Pacific, it was reported here today, while Shanghai accounts told of new Japanese military movements southward.

Both army and navy fighting planes of the latest type are to be dispatched to the Pacific fleet, General George C. Marshall, United States Chief of Staff, was said to have disclosed to the Senate military affairs committee at a secret session.

Some committee members said he described the Far Eastern situation as "serious," and also said army and navy chiefs had no intention of stripping American defences to speed up war equipment deliveries to the British.

PARALLEL MOVES

Reinforcement of air fighting units in the Pacific and legislation just passed by the House for building up defence outposts at far-away Guam and Samoa were regarded in some circles as parallel to recent British moves to strengthen defences at the Singapore naval base and in the Northern Malayan Peninsula.

The number of planes to be dispatched to the fleet was not disclosed.

Australian troops arrived this week at Singapore, considered possibly the first naval objective of Japan in any thrust which might be made toward the rich Netherlands East Indies.

British air reinforcements also have been sent to the northern part of the Malayan Peninsula near Thailand (Siam) and French Indo-China.

ADDS TO UNCERTAINTY

As uncertainty over Japanese intentions kept Far Eastern tension high, Ambassador Kichisaburo Nomura was reported to be holding back definite proposals for improving Japanese relations with the United States until a more favorable opportunity arose.

He acknowledged at a press conference yesterday he found the "atmosphere" in the United States worse than he had expected, and declined to say whether he had brought any concrete proposals for improving relations.

The United States Government, while apparently welcoming any Japanese move toward more favorable treatment of American interests in the Far East, has made it clear that far greater problems now exist in American-Japanese relations. These centre on Japan's alliance with Germany and Italy.

JAPAN'S WEAK POINTS

LONDON, Feb. 20 (CP)—The Soviet army newspaper Red Star today commented on what it described as "Japan's weak points in the war of nerves now going on with Britain and the United States," the British Broadcasting Corporation reported tonight.

"Replying to reports of Japanese military preparations and her movements southward, the newspaper said that weak and vulnerable points in these preparations were recently pointed out by the president of a Japanese metal concern, who issues a reminder that Japan is dependent to a considerable extent on supplies of raw materials from abroad," the B.B.C. said.

In addition the newspaper remarked that foreign observers found a certain "difference of view" between Japanese diplomatic and military authorities.

BOUNTY ON OWLS

REGINA, Feb. 20 (CP)—A price has been placed on the heads of the great horned owl and the snowy owl, enemy of upland game birds, by the Saskatchewan Fish and Game League. Hunters will be paid 50 cents by the league for each of these birds shot, Owen L. Dutton, president of the Regina branch of the league, said today.



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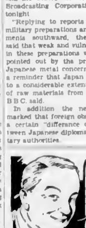
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PERSONAL ITEMS and SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Local Council Ends Its Busy Annual Conference

Housing Problem Considered—Suggestions Made Regarding Prevention of Traffic Accidents—Mrs. Ord Butters Speaks on "Persia"

The urgent necessity for providing low-rental dwellings for families in Victoria was emphasized by Mrs K McAllister in her address on "Housing and Town Planning" at yesterday afternoon's session of the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women. Mrs McAllister reported that instances had been brought to her attention of families with children occupying one room in houses with inadequate sanitary facilities. This need was not merely temporary, she said, and expressed the opinion that it was time something definite was done in Victoria to meet the situation.

In Winnipeg, where a similar problem had existed, the Local Council of Women had been instrumental in urging the City Council to vote $30,000 towards building suitable accommodation for families in poor circumstances. In the United States, lack of proper housing had been looked upon as a "national emergency" and national funds were being used to remedy the situation.

EDUCATION

Mrs D L MacLaurin read a lengthy report on "Education" in which she touched upon many matters concerned with the subject, such as lighting improvements in the schools, the success of the home economics courses, adult education courses, the placing of a trained dietitian in the high school cafeteria, and the need for a technical school. Earlier in the day, Mrs MacLaurin drew attention, in a report on traffic safety education, to the alarming increase in the number of motor accidents last year in Victoria which numbered 647, with four persons killed, forty-three seriously injured and 169 slightly hurt.

Mrs. MacLaurin advocated the formation of a Traffic Safety Council in Greater Victoria, to represent the three chief remedial agencies, education, engineering and enforcement. Mrs H. M. Hall pointed out the inadequacy of the present method of testing drivers for licences, and the need for more stringent physical tests. Another member pointed out the need for stricter enforcement of the law, noting that more punishment was meted out to motorists for infractions of the parking laws than for more serious offences. The suggestion was also made that derelict cars should not be allowed on the road and that third party insurance should be compulsory.

PUBLIC HEALTH

Mrs. Hugh McKenzie, reporting as convener of national recreation and natural resources spoke of the need of the conservation of forests and parks. Miss Creasor, R.N., as convener of public health, noted the activities of the various public health agencies and referred with regret to the departure for overseas service of Dr Murray Anderson who had done such splendid work in the schools. The disposal of garbage, the need for a cancer clinic, the continued use of unpasteurized milk were also mentioned by Miss Creasor in her report.

OTHER REPORTS

Miss Vates read the Family Welfare report and Miss Isabel Russell reported for the Y.W.C.A. Travelers' Aid. Mrs. W McCague read the report of the Centennial United Church women and that of the child welfare committee. At the conclusion of the latter report it was suggested by Dr. Olga Jardine that Mrs McCague's name be added to the committee on evacuated children.

Mrs. Green read the B'nai Brith report; Mrs William Peden, Victoria Women's Institute, Mrs Hopkins, the Camosun Chapter I.O.D.E., and Mrs. M. G. Webb, Native Daughters' Post No 3. Mrs Massey read the Lake Hill W.I. report; Mrs A J Bell, the W.A. to the C.C.F.; Mrs J Witty Housewives' League and Mrs Hicks, W.C.T.U. Home. Dr Jardine, convener of the committee on "Citizenship" read a report of the work done by that group.

After discussion it was decided that the C.C.F. resolution regarding proposed study groups be referred back to that organization for clarification.

Letters were sent to Mrs William Grant and Mrs R B McMicking, two of the oldest members of the council, who were unable to attend the meeting.

ADDRESS ON PERSIA

During the afternoon session, the delegates listened with keen interest to the address on "Women of Persia" by Mrs Ord Butters, who was born in that country and who has now come to make her home in Victoria. Intimate glimpses of the people of both old and new Persia, their customs, dress and general mode of life were described in interesting detail by Mrs Butters, who on several occasions has spoken on this subject since coming to Victoria, and never fails to charm her audience.

Mrs A S Christie expressed the council's thanks to Mrs Butters. Votes of thanks were accorded by Mrs McManus to Capt Philpott and Mrs. Butters, the speakers of the conference; Miss Savory for arranging the flowers; Mrs. Parsons as convener of the tea arrangements; Mrs W H Wilson and Miss Jean Sargison, who were the soloists, as well as to the press.

At the closing session Mrs A E Hopkins, the president, on behalf of the Local Council expressed good wishes to Miss Bruce, who, as a member of the staff of The Colonist has reported meetings of the council, and who has now retired, the gift of a leather traveling bag being presented to her by Mrs W J H Holmes, on behalf of the Local Council of Women.

Helping With Annual T.V.A. Ball Plans



MRS. W. H. BOOTH

WHO heads the W.A. to the Tuberculous Veterans' Association, and who is a member of the committee in charge of the T.V.A. ball this evening at the Empress Hotel. The Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., is co-operating with the veterans in this annual event by staging a fashion show of bathing suits and sportswear.

Clubs and Societies

Gleaners' Society

The regular meeting of the Gleaners' Society of First United Church was held on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. H. A. McLeod, 1900 Belmont Avenue, with the newly-appointed president Helen Porter, in the chair. Margaret Walker and Marjorie Wilson were in charge of the programme. The devotional period was conducted by Margaret Cross. The mission study was continued in the form of an interview, with Marjorie Wilson acting as reporter and Helen Peaker, Audrey MacGinnis and Rita Millhouse representing missionaries from Trinidad and India. St. Aidan's Margaret Irving Group were guests of the evening. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The birthday meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. M. L. McLennan, 311 Vancouver Street, on March 19.

Fairfield W.M.S.

Fairfield W.M.S. met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G Furber, 806 Linden Avenue. Mrs. Brown's circle took charge of the devotional part of the meeting. Miss Daniels, lately of Korea, gave an interesting account of her experiences, when as a teacher and missionary she was closely associated with the work, and was able to give an intimate account of the people and their customs, as well as the country itself. The meeting coincided with the twenty-seventh annual meeting of the society, a birthday atmosphere prevailed and greetings were sent to Mrs. G. W Johnson, who was the district organizer and founder of the auxiliary and who was unable to be present at the meeting.

Garden City W.A.

There were twenty members and two visitors present at the monthly meeting of the W.A. of Garden City Church, which was held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs W. P Brown, Whiteside Street. An excellent report was given by Mrs. C. Alexander, which showed that the visiting committee had paid forty-six visits in the community in recent weeks, and for the coming month Mrs R. Young and Mrs. Alexander will be the visitors. There will also be a church supper in March, the date to be announced later. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs R. A Scott, Jasmine Avenue. The meeting closed with prayer by Miss Emery, and refreshments served by the hostess.

Wilkinson Road W.A.

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of Wilkinson Road United Church was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs R. Knight, Wilkinson Road. Mrs J. Hoy presided. After the various reports were read, discussion centred round the forthcoming activities including a St. Patrick's tea to be held in the Sunday school auditorium on Thursday, March 13, with Mrs. O. Jones as convener, and Mrs. Hoy and Mrs. Garner will arrange the programme. A discussion was held on the plan to allot War Saving Certificates for the church. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs Matten, Glyn Road. During the social half-hour, tea was served by the hostess.

St. John Nursing Division

St. John Ambulance Brigade Nursing Division, reserves and girl cadets, whether in uniform or not, are asked to make an effort to take part in the War Savings Parade on Saturday afternoon. The point of assembly will be the North Ward School on Douglas Street, and the unit must be ready to move off not later than 2 o'clock.

Mizpah Court

The Royal Club of Mizpah Court, Order of Amaranth held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. A Woodley, 123 Wellington Avenue, on Wednesday evening. The club is working for the bombed victims in England, and several knitted articles were brought in, also some children's dresses, a quilt and afghan. Mrs. N Hill, 554 Selkirk Avenue, has offered her home for a daffodil tea, to be held on Wednesday, February 26, from 3 to 5.30 p.m. Mrs E. Hold is in charge of the musical programme. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. N Kelly, 1357 Esquimalt Road, on March 18, at 7.45 p.m., and will be followed by a card party at 9 p.m.

U.C.T. Auxiliary

Further plans for the St. Patrick's tea, to be held on March 12 at the home of Reeve and Mrs. W. L Woodhouse, in aid of the Lord Mayor's Fund, were reported at the meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the United Commercial Travelers, held recently in the K. of C. Hall, the president, Mrs. J. C. Dowds, in the chair. The bi-monthly bridge parties held at members' homes and convened by Mrs. W. Walsh are still in progress. The proceeds go to social service work and the prizes are war saving stamps. The next meeting will be held on March 15, when the election of officers will take place.

Servimus Group

The Servimus Group of the Metropolitan W.A. held its monthly meeting recently at the home of Mrs. W H Muncy, Blackwood Street. The president, Mrs. J. G. Welch, was in the chair. The next meeting will take the form of a musicale and will be held in the parsonage on March 14. The hostess was assisted by Mrs A. H. Adams.

Comitas Club

The Comitas Club held the regular business meeting on Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Barbara Leigh. Members attending the meeting were Mrs. R. C. Newby, Misses Verna Beek, Mary George, Barbara Leigh, Patricia and Geraldine Holden, Rene McHutcheon, Alice Anderson and Olivine Ormond.

Moose Women

The meeting of Victoria Chapter No. 25, Women of the Moose, will be held on Monday at 7.30 p.m. in the K. of P. Hall, to be followed by a novelty social by the ritualistic chairman and escorts. Friends are invited and refreshments will be served.

Housewives' League

Mrs K McAllister will address the Victoria District Housewives' League today at 2.30 o'clock in the Union Building, Room 301. The report of the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women will be given.

Centennial Guild

The Centennial Church Ladies' Guild met in the parlor on Tuesday, with the president, Mrs W McCague, in the chair. Mrs J Jefferies read a poem by Mrs. Needland. Tea was served.

P.P.C.L.I. Auxiliary

The social meeting of the W.A. to the P.P.C.L.I. will be held on Monday evening at the home of Mrs Glen Holland, 355 Armit Road, Esquimalt, at 8 p.m.

Ambulance Corps

The Woman's Ambulance Corps will parade at the Armoury at 1 p.m. sharp on Saturday. Uniforms and regulation accessories must be worn.

King's Daughters

The district meeting of the King's Daughters will be held on Monday, at 2.30 p.m., in the rest rooms, Hibben-Bone Building.

Girl Guide Notes

VICTORIA NORTH

The 3rd Victoria North Association to the Girl Guides and Brownies will hold its next meeting on Tuesday at 2.15 p.m. at the home of Mrs J. P Brown, 11 Hampton Road. Parents and friends are invited.

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Columbia W.A. Hears Report Of New Boat

An account of the work being carried on by the mission boat Spindrift was given by Rev. James Russell at the afternoon session of the Columbia Diocesan W.A. annual meeting yesterday afternoon in the Shrine Hall. The territory covered by the boat includes Port Alice, Quatsino Sound white settlement and Indian village, and Cape Scott country which, he said, was greatly in need of mission service. The boat was ideal for the work in seas which were often extremely treacherous.

Mr Russell described the beauty of the country, specially mentioning Cape Scott where in the Indian settlement lives "Queenie," one of the old queens of the Coast, an aged Indian woman, and one of the last of her tribe. Port Alice, the chief centre, has a population of 700, he said, and 200 of these were Japanese and fifty Chinese. Mr Russell mentioned that among the special needs of the little boat were lifebelts, a searchlight and a new canvas covering.

ORIENTAL WORK

Rev. Clarence Lee's report of the Oriental work in Victoria was read by the corresponding secretary as Mr Lee was unable to be present. Christian membership had increased 10 per cent during the year. Mrs Drew gave some late news of Miss Phyllis Drew, a missionary in India who had recently been managing a hospital and had performed a serious operation on a girl who had broken her leg.

The report of the Sunday-School-by-Post was read by Miss M. E. Cox, who for eighteen years was secretary of this branch in the Calgary diocese.

Rev H. T. Archbold gave the address at the midday prayer service, his subject being "Vocation."

COMMITTEE NAMED

Discussion on the funds relinquished from England resulted in the appointment of Mrs F J Brimer, Lady Lake, Miss Foster and Mrs Heber Cooke to represent the W.A. on the committee to be formed by the bishop in connection with the raising of the increased funds needed for the missionary work of the Church of England in Canada.

Rev Harding Priest, Western field secretary, gave an address during the morning session. Mrs W P Bassett gave the report of the Mothers' Union, the Little Helpers report was read by Mrs E J Harris, Living Message, Mrs F E L Philp; junior work, Mrs R C Keane; the Girls Friendly Society, Mrs. H Nation, and the Anglican Theological College, Lady Lake.

This morning's session, which starts at 9.30 o'clock, will conclude the meeting.



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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Social and Personal

Honored Bride-to-Be

Mrs L. F Sim, Avebury Avenue, [illegible] cellaneous shower in honor of [illegible] June Margaret Erskine, whose marriage to Signalman S A Hayward takes place next week Spring flowers made an attractive background in the rooms A corsage bouquet of pink carnations was given to the bride-to-be upon her arrival, and later a big box decorated in pink and white, and containing the pretty gifts was presented to her A number of amusing games was played during the evening and prizes were awarded At supper time Mrs Erskine, Mrs Little and Miss M Erskine assisted the hostess The table was arranged with a lovely bouquet of daffodils, narcissi and tulips in a cut glass bowl. The guests were Mesdames B. Hayward, R Erskine, D. Randall, J Newlands, P MacDonald, J. McMillan, W. Munday, J. McLuhan, V James, C Hunt [illegible] Thistleton, A Smith, A Collier, [illegible] Poyer, A Lea, C. Vaahereese, and Misses Joan Hayward, Betty Randall, Anne Newlands, Edith and Kay Smith, Muriel Collier, Mary, Betty and Isobel Erskine Phyllis Lea Betty and Frances Sim

Bridge and Tea

Masses of Spring flowers decorated the Oak Bay Theatre Hall for the tea and bridge party held yesterday afternoon by the Oak Bay Chapter, Order of Eastern Star Over eighty guests attended and were received by the worthy matron Mrs. R. A Taylor, and Mrs V A Green, the associate matron Thirteen tables of bridge were in progress, and at contract Mrs Lidstone and Mrs H O. Austin won the prizes, and at auction Mrs. McKay and Mrs. Carvar The tea tables were arranged with daffodils and presiding over the tea and coffee urns were Mrs Alex Florence and Mrs Ray Baylis, grand officers Miss May Sims, worthy matron of [illegible] Harrison, past matron of Oak Bay Chapter Mrs C. A Kinney, the general convener, was assisted by Mesdames C. Harrison, J. Tubman P P Boucher E Rushton and E Marshall Members of the order lent able support during the afternoon Mrs. C. McAllister was awarded the piece of china in the contest.

Receives Gifts

Miss Peggy Muckle, whose marriage to Mr Stuart Kennedy will take place shortly, was the guest of honor at a kitchen shower given recently by Mrs W Hobbis and Mrs R B McMicking at the home of their parents, 1430 Pembroke Street Upon her arrival Miss Muckle was presented with a corsage bouquet of violets and white carnations. In the living-room a small table was centred with a miniature bride, who held red streamers attached to the gifts which surrounded the table A buffet supper was served later, and Misses K Muckle and G McCall poured Teacup reading was later enjoyed The invited guests were Mesdames N. Muckle, B Kennedy, S H McCall D S Hobbis J W Kenyon, G Green, J Mornes, J. Noble, C Logan K Kerr, and Misses Kathleen Muckle, Gladys McCall, Violet Kemp, Adeline Sangster, Eva McCall, Marjorie Rice-Jones, Winnie Jenkinson, Sadie Underwood, Gertrude Day, Kay Elston Edith Barlow, Dolly Hobbis, Kathleen Gregson and Jessie McGillivray.

Kitchen Shower

Miss Mildred Carter was the guest of honor recently at a kitchen shower held at the home of her sister, Mrs. A Joyce, Ross Street The gifts were presented in a treasure chest in colors of red and white Winners of contests were Miss Gladys Robertson, Mrs J Smith, Mrs W Neal, Mrs M Joyce Mrs. L. Underwood and Mrs C Tayler Refreshments were served from a table centred with a silver bowl of red tulips and plum blossom Those present were Mesdames L Hickling M Joyce M Carter Smart, C Tayler E Evans Griffiths, G Gardiner M Mitchell, A Bjorn, Renfrew, Couch, H Woodford, W Neal J Kinsman, J Smith, Fraser, L Underwood, E Pennells Misses Ann Gerrard, I. Couch A Jarman Julie Johnson, H Ward Ann Oliver, G Robertson V Gand, V Fisher, B Lefley and J Rutledge.

Hostess at Shower

Mrs G Kennedy 3023 Fifth Street entertained at a miscellaneous shower, on Wednesday evening, in honor of Miss Norma Adaleen Hodgkinson, a bride-to-be The gifts were arranged on the table and were presented to the guest-of-honor, together with a corsage bouquet of pink carnations A buffet supper was served, the decorations being carried out with pink, green and yellow crepe paper The guests were Mesdames H Francis, S Patton J Johnson, M Humber and A Hodgkinson

Premier Returning

Returning from Prince Rupert after a brief visit in his own constituency, Premier Pattullo is expected back in Victoria on Monday it was learned yesterday at the Legislative Buildings

"Galloping" Teas

Mrs Adrian Hope was hostess yesterday afternoon at her home, 714 Cook Street, when, in conjunction with the series of "galloping" teas being held in aid of the Mine Sweepers and Trawlers' Fund, she entertained six guests, Mrs. C. W. McCharles, Mrs R P. Ponder, Mrs. Pritchard, Mrs. Maurice Wood, Mrs. H. A. McCandless and Miss Kathleen Clay. Another hostess in the series yesterday was Mrs. E E. Henderson, who entertained six guests at her home in Dereen Place.

Hostesses at Dance

Mrs E. G. Alcock, Mrs Ian Alcock and Mrs. G. E Botting were hostesses at an enjoyable dance in the Strawberry Vale Community Hall on Wednesday evening, when about sixty members of the air force from Patricia Bay were among the guests During the evening refreshments were served when the hostesses were assisted by Mrs McKean, Mrs. Carr, Mrs Stacey and Mr. E. G Alcock

Spring Garden Tea

"Rolling Down to Rio" (German), "I Love Life" (Greig), "The Nightingale Sang in Berkeley Square" (Sherwin), and "To Be Near Thee" (Rose), are the selections which Mr Dudley Wickett will sing at the Spring garden tea at the Empress Hotel tomorrow afternoon. There will be a beautiful floral display of Spring flowers, which are unusually early this year.

Hostess at Tea

Mrs James D Laurie entertained a few friends at tea yesterday at her home on Linkleas Avenue. Among the guests was Miss Sylvia Appleby, who arrived recently from England, and who leaves today for San Francisco, en route to British North Borneo, where she will be married.

Here for Golf Tournament

Dr H. G. McDiarmid, Brandon, will arrive today at the Empress Hotel for the annual Winter golf tournament.

Entertains Friends

Mrs Eric Burton entertained at a small cocktail party yesterday at her home on St Charles Street, in honor of Miss Sylvia Appleby, who has been visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs. F A. Pauline, Foul Bay Road and who leaves today for Borneo.

Entertains for Victorian

Mme. Huntly Green was the guest of honor at a supper party given in Vancouver by Mr and Mrs H M Hilker on Tuesday Mrs Green went to Vancouver to attend the Rachmaninoff concert.

To Spend Month Here

Mrs Armand Daigle, and Mr and Mrs. Albert Daigle, Montreal, will visit here for the next month and while in the city will stay at the Empress Hotel

Here From Toronto

Mr and Mrs. T E Knowlton, Toronto came to Victoria yesterday afternoon and will visit here for the next six weeks They are staying at the Empress Hotel

Party Visiting Here

Mrs A B Sorby and Miss S. Grace Sorby, Guelph, Ont, and Mrs Gertrude Jones, Edmonton, are at the Empress Hotel on a three weeks' visit

From Quebec

Mr and Mrs. Arthur Jobin, Quebec, are visitors here and are staying at the Empress Hotel They expect to be in the city for the next two weeks

Montreal Visitors

Mrs Pearce and Mrs Firstbrook are here from Montreal and will stay at the Empress Hotel during their visit of six weeks

Here for Few Days

Mrs. Phil Malkin and Miss Nancy Malkin arrived from Vancouver yesterday afternoon to spend a few days at the Empress Hotel.

Vancouver Visitor

Mrs Charles Allen, Vancouver, came to Victoria yesterday to spend a month and will stay at the Empress Hotel

From Winnipeg

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil H. Gunn, Winnipeg, have arrived at the Empress Hotel to spend some time here

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Weddings

CRUX—ROPER

The marriage took place on Wednesday afternoon in St. Andrew's Church, Vancouver; when June, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Roper, Waco, Texas, became the bride of Mr. A. G. Duncan Crux, son of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Crux, Devonshire Crescent A guard of honor, formed by the officers of the Irish Fusiliers, attended the wedding.

Hon. Gordon S Wismer, K.C., Attorney-General of British Columbia, was best man, and the bride was given in marriage by Mr. Henry Castillou. Mrs. Lionel Keot was matron of honor and Shirley, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis, was the flower girl Ushers were Dr. H. H Boucher, Mr. Aubrey Peck, Mr Paul Payne, Mr. Ted Black and Mr Jim Kennedy. A reception was held at the Hotel Georgia, Mrs. Newton Burdick and Mrs T. Whaley presiding at the urns.

Mr and Mrs. Crux left for Los Angeles and on their return will reside at Seymour Creek on the North Shore.

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Upper Island Festival Will Be Held Soon

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Drama and duologue classes, which proved so popular last year, are again in the syllabus. Beverly Fyfe will supply any necessary information to prospective competitors in these classes

All sessions for vocal, choral and instrumental classes will be held in St. Andrew's United Church from Tuesday, April 22, to Saturday, April 26 Folk dancing classes will be held in the School Gymnasium, Friday and Saturday, May 2 and 3 The change in folk dancing dates is due to the fact that the former dates came in the Easter holidays The closing date for entries is March 1, so all entry forms must be in the hands of the secretary by that time Entry forms may be obtained from the secretary, Mrs Hugh C. Anderson, Union Avenue

Four well-known adjudicators will preside over the festival and the executive is increasing its effort to obtain the maximum of public support to this very worthy community project.

Anglican Young People

ST. JOHN'S

The St. John's branch held a business meeting on Tuesday evening, with the president in the chair. Next Tuesday the members and their friends will attend an illustrated lecture "The Golden Basket," by Miss Constance J. Brandon, a well-known lecturer, in St. John's Hall, at 8 p.m.

Apples With Baked Ham



Here is a delicious recipe to try out during Apple Week, now being observed throughout Victoria, sponsored by the British Columbia Fruit Growers 1 slice uncooked ham (about 1½ inches thick), 1 teaspoon dry mustard, 2 teaspoons vinegar, 2 apples, ½ cup brown sugar, 1 teaspoon butter. Trim rind from ham. Mix mustard and vinegar together and spread on ham. Slice apples thinly and spread in layers on ham Sprinkle with brown sugar and dot with butter. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees Fahrenheit) until ham is tender, about forty-five minutes.

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SESSION OF SYNOD ENDS

Clergy and Laity Elected to Various Representative Church Bodies

The second and concluding day's [illegible] of British Columbia opened at 10 o'clock yesterday morning in the Memorial Hall after a service of Holy Communion in Christ Church Cathedral, at 8 o'clock.

Delegates heard a report by Rev H. R. Trumpour, D.D., principal of the Anglican Theological College at Vancouver, on the condition and progress of that institution during 1940. The college had enjoyed a good year despite war conditions, he reported. At the end of March last year, receipts of the college totaled $16,278 and expenses $12,311.

Dr. Trumpour spoke of the increasing anxious work of training young men. The changes in ways of life were complicated in youth. "The young men of today are so well equipped in their own minds," he said, adding that the spirit of the college was exceptionally keen.

The synod unanimously resolved that it was prepared to follow the lead of the provincial synod in the matter of religious instruction in the public schools and would support the bishops of the province in that connection.

REPRESENTATIVES

At the afternoon meeting representatives on the following bodies were balloted for and declared elected.

Provincial Synod—Very Rev. S. H. Elliott, Rev. Dr. W. C. Western, Rev H. T. Archbold, Rev. T. R. Lancaster, F. E. Anfield, F. W. Blankenbach, H. H. Cullis and Captain C. F. Gibson; alternates, Archdeacon Nunns, Rev. Canon T. M. Hughes, J. H. Hinton and Captain H. M. S. Bell.

General Synod—Dean Elliott, Rev Dr W. C. Western, Rev Fred Comley, Rev. T. R. Lancaster, F. E. Anfield, J. H. Hinton, O. M. Prentice and Captain C. F. Gibson; alternates, Rev. H. T. Archbold, Rev Canon Hughes, W. A. Patterson and Lionel Taylor.

Anglican Theological College, Board of Governors—Dean Elliott, Rev. George Biddle, Rev. Canon Hughes, F. E. Anfield, Captain C. F. Gibson and H. H. Cullis, alternates, Rev. H. T. Archbold, Rev. Canon N. E. Smith, E. E. Wootton and Major F. V. Longstaff.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Rev A. Harding Priest, Western field secretary of the general board of religious education, addressed the synod and spoke of the increasing unification of the work of the church in Canada, and of the greater unity that was becoming apparent. He stated that the matter of the need for religious instruction in the public schools was the predominant topic wherever he went. Pointing out the distinguishing mark of the Christian was the duty of worship, he stressed the importance of this obligation, especially at the present time.

The speaker mentioned the serious interest being shown by some branches of the A.Y.P.A. in the matter of social and other studies, among them the report of the now famous Malvern conference.

Bishop Sexton announced that a pamphlet on Christian marriage had been prepared for distribution by the clergy to those desirous of [illegible]mony and these would be obtainable from the clergy of the diocese.

He further stated that Ash Wednesday was being set apart this year as a day of intercession, in addition to marking the beginning of the Lenten season.

UNITED CHURCH GREETED

Greetings were sent to the Victoria Presbytery of the United Church as follows: "Greeting. Grace be to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. May success attend your deliberation to the end that the Kingdom of our Lord and Saviour may be enlarged and extended."

The synod unanimously approved the issue of a leaflet to the parishes concerning the observance of Mothering Sunday. The report of the diocesan board of religious education was discussed and adopted.

Rev. Hugh A. McLeod, who brought greetings of the Victoria Presbytery of the United Church, was cordially welcomed and voiced generous appreciation of the work and witness with which the synod was concerned and associated.

The annual report of the Diocesan W.A. was read and warm appreciation voiced of the praiseworthy efforts of that great organization.

A motion concerning a weekly half-holiday for all workers was held over for further investigation.

Rev. Alan Greene, superintendent of the Columbia Coast Mission, spoke on the past year's work of that organization, as did Rev Clarence Lee concerning the Good Hope Mission, and Rev. James Russell on the Northern Mission.

The synod rose at 5.30 p.m.

Military Activities

WAR SAVINGS PARADE

All ranks of the 1st Searchlight Battery, Victoria Troop, R.C.A. R.F., will parade Saturday, February 22, at 13.50 hours, at corner of Hillside Avenue and Douglas Street.

NO. 13 FIELD AMBULANCE R.C.A.M.C. (R.F.)

Part 1 Orders by Lieut.-Col E. H. W. Elkington, officer commanding.

Parade—There will be a special parade at the Woolen Mills, Friday February 21 at 20.00 hours.

All members taking part in the war savings parade, Saturday, February 22, must attend the above in order to draw necessary equipment.

E. H. W. ELKINGTON, Lt.-Col,
Officer Commanding, No. 13 Field Ambulance R.C.A.M.C. (R.F.)

NO. 2 ECHELON & WORKSHOP SECTION, 6TH DIV. SUPPLY COLUMN, R.C.A.S.C., R.F.

Regimental Orders, Part 1, Order No. 8, by Lieut N. T. Peters for Major T. H. Wilkinson, O.C. 6th Divisional Supply Column.

War Savings Parade—All ranks of No. 2 Echelon and Workship Section, 6th Divisional Supply Column will parade on Saturday, February 22, at 13.50 hours at the corner of Hillside Avenue and Douglas Street. Dress: Battle order (Entire web equipment less pack sack.)

Markers—Markers will report to parade sergeant-major at 13.45 hours at the corner of Hillside Avenue and Douglas Street.

NEIL T. PETERS, Lieut.
For Major T. H. Wilkinson, O.C. commanding 6th Divisional Supply Column, R.C.A.S.C., C.A. (R.)

Sunrise and Sunset

FEBRUARY

Times of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1941

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	7 45	17 11	15	7 22	17 35
2	7 43	[illegible] 12	16	7 20	17 38
3	7 40	[illegible]	17	7 18	17 19
4	7 38	[illegible]	18	7 16	[illegible]
5	7 36	17 18	19	7 14	[illegible]
6	7 34	17 20	20	7 13	[illegible]
7	7 34	[illegible] 21	21	7 11	17 [illegible]
8	7 33	[illegible] 23	22	7 08	[illegible]
9	7 31	17 25	23	7 07	17 43
10	7 30	17 26	24	7 05	17 46
11	7 26	[illegible] 30	25	7 03	17 [illegible]
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13	7 25	[illegible] 31	27	7 00	17 50
14	7 24	17 33	28	6 58	17 [illegible]

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

Ready to Meet Any Invasion Attempt



Preparing for the day when an invasion might be attempted or for the time when they will get a foothold in Europe, these British soldiers of the western command are constantly training for the day when they will come to grips with the enemy. This unit is advancing in an area in which trees have been felled. They were brought to the scene by buses in answer to a practice call for help "against enemy invaders."

FRED ROWLANDS OF VANCOUVER PASSES

VANCOUVER, Feb. 20 (CP)—Fred Rowlands, eighty-one, widely known Vancouver mining man who died yesterday, will be buried on Monday.

Purchasing agent for Premier Gold Mining Company, Limited, Mr. Rowlands had lived here twenty-two years. He was a member of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy.

Mobilization in Malta Decreed

VALETTA, Malta, Feb. 20 (CP)—Mobilization of all males from sixteen to fifty-six was decreed today for combatant and non-combatant services. Those between the ages of twenty and twenty-five will be called up for military service immediately.

All males from eighteen to forty-one are liable for combatant services. The others will be enrolled in essential war services, particularly the labor corps.

FEWER SURPLUS WOMEN

There were fewer "surplus" women when war broke out than there had been for fifteen years previously. This is revealed in figures just published by the Board of Trade. According to these, the population of the United Kingdom in the middle of last year was 47,676,000—22,920,000 males and 24,756,000 females.

But apparently the bachelor still has a choice—until one of the 24,756,000 decides he'll do.

Women Collapse At Their Work

DETROIT, Feb. 20 (AP)—More than thirty women employed in the cigar factory of Webster Eisenlohr, Inc. collapsed at their work today and were taken to receiving hospital for emergency treatment.

Physicians said thirty-four victims were admitted to the hospital apparently overcome by some form of gas. They described one case as serious, but said most of the women were discharged within two hours [illegible]

Carl Jensen, plant superintendent, describing the scene, said "I saw women start dropping, one here, one there. Some seated at tables collapsed when they arose from their chairs. Others fell as they tried to sit down."

KAPERS TO STAR AIR FORCE BAND

Annual Stage Show of Kiwanis Club Will Feature Clever Array Of Talent

At the Kiwanis Club luncheon on Tuesday, William F. Tickle announced that Wing Commander Wray, of Patricia Bay, has kindly consented to permit the R.C.A.F. Band to appear in the fourth annual Kiwanis Kapers at the Royal Victoria Theatre on March 4. Since its organization a few months ago, this band has made few public appearances, but each time it has been most favorably received. It is the intention of the programme committee to close the show with a full stage presentation by this organization.

At the Kapers last year, "Bob and Fred," from Work Point, delighted the full house. This year it is to be "Bob and Fred and Company," and the soldiers will offer several comic songs and skits.

Fraser Lister, always a favorite with Victoria audiences, will be master of ceremonies. Among the various numbers he will introduce are to be features by four dancing schools, the Scottish Pipe Band and Dudley Wickett, in vocal solos.

As in past years, the Kiwanis Kapers will be under the patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Hamber, with the proceeds to be devoted to the Solarium and other Kiwanis objectives.

ROOFING FIRM IS TALK TOPIC

R. L. Mayhew Tells Rotarians About Sidney Roofing & Paper Company

Dealing with the story of the development, merchandising and manufacturing aspects of the business [illegible] pany, described the history of the Sidney Roofing & Paper Company at the regular weekly meeting of the Rotary Club yesterday.

Tracing the development of the company since its start in 1912, the speaker told how it was taken over by R. W. Mayhew, M.P., in 1914. He stated that the firm had its real start during the last war, when new machinery and working practices were inaugurated.

The plant was located on its present site in 1919, and additional products were added to the output in 1926, at which time the machinery was changed and increased and a pulp mill was added to the firm's assets.

At the present time, the organization is manufacturing tooling building materials, paper insulated board and cardboard boxes. An an indication of the yearly output Mr Mayhew said that enough building paper had been manufactured by the concern to run a strip across Canada with a width of three feet.

Mr. Mayhew dealt with problems and manner of manufacture of the various articles, and described the merchandising method as used by the firm.

[illegible] the club that a model of a small English church would be disposed of by the club in aid of the war savings programme. The model was donated by Kirk Hodges.

AUSTRALIAN TRAINING WILL BE EXTENDED

SYDNEY, Australia, Feb 20 (CP)—Army Minister Percy Spender announced today Australians liable for compulsory military service for home defence will have their camp training extended so that half of the Commonwealth's military forces will be continuously under arms for any emergency that might arise.

It was considered probable every man under compulsory training will spend six months of every year in camp until the war ends.

[illegible]

Local Me[illegible]: "Now look at me [illegible] I am a self-made man."

Modern Scholar (to boy sitting next to him): "Is he boasting or apologising?"

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HONEY, Beehive, No. 2's, per tin 28¢
"Pure as the bee made it"
NABOB TEA, 1 lb. pkt. 65¢
With a flavor all its own
PEACHES, Lynn Valley, 15 oz. tins 2 for 25¢
PINEAPPLE JUICE, Dole's, 13 oz. tin 10¢
A refreshing appetizer
GOLDEN BANTAM CORN, Aylmer, 17 oz. tins 3 for 27¢
PORK AND BEANS, Libby's, 15 oz. tins 3 for 19¢
AYLMER PEAS, size 3's, 17 oz. tins 2 for 25¢
PORK SAUSAGE, Swift's, No. 1's, tin 20¢
PEANUT BUTTER, Squirrel, 2's, tin 23¢
To make the children's favorite sandwich
COOKED SPAGHETTI, Libby's 15 oz. tins 3 for 25¢
COFFEE, Nabob, 1-lb. vacuum packed tin 40¢

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A Natural Appetizer—Drink It Daily for Health

Aylmer, 10-oz. tins 2 for 9¢
Libby's, 15-oz. tins 3 for 20¢
CHILI SAUCE, Aylmer, 10 oz. bottle 15¢
APPLE JUICE, Sun-Rype, 26 oz. tins 2 for 23¢
Nature's own health drink
ASPARAGUS TASTY CUTS, Aylmer, 10-oz. tins 3 for 27¢

QUICK OATS

Robin Hood, large packets 2 for 25c
A Quickly Prepared Cereal for a Hot Breakfast

LUX TOILET SOAP, 3 cakes 9¢
SUNLIGHT SOAP, 4 bars 19¢
LIFEBUOY SOAP, 3 cakes 18¢
FLOOR WAX, Shinola, 1's, per tin 20¢
3 Large packet SUPERSUDS and a Crystal Glass Relish Dish—Both for 24¢

SIDE BACON Campfire, sliced, 1 lb. lots 29c
LARD Shamrock, 1-lb. carton 8c
SHORTENING Snowflake, 1-lb. carton 9c

LEAFS BACK IN FIRST PLACE IN NATIONAL LEAGUE

NICK METZ SCORES WINNING GOAL FOR THE TORONTO TEAM

Connie Smythe's Fast-Traveling Squad Gains 2-1 Victory Over Canadiens to Move Ahead of Boston—Chicago Black Hawks Defeat New York Americans, 4-2

HOW THEY STAND

	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	Pt
Toronto	24	10	4	109	73	52
Boston	20	7	11	133	86	51
Detroit	15	12	10	82	74	40
Chicago	15	16	6	97	106	36
Rangers	14	16	8	107	109	36
Canadiens	12	22	6	96	119	30
Americans	8	21	9	76	137	25

LAST NIGHT'S SCORES

Toronto 2, Canadiens 1
Chicago 4, Americans 2.

NEXT GAMES

Saturday—Chicago at Canadiens, Detroit at Toronto.

Sunday — Chicago at Rangers, Americans at Boston, Toronto at Detroit.

TORONTO, Feb 20 (CP)—Toronto Maple Leafs went back on top of the National Hockey League standings tonight by defeating Montreal Canadiens 2-1 in a rugged contest before 10,656 customers. The victory put the Leafs one point in front of the idle Boston Bruins.

Nick Metz broke up the game when he scored from a scramble in front of Canadiens' net halfway through the third period. The visitors were shorthanded at the time, with Ray Getliffe off for boarding.

Charlie Sands gave Canadiens the lead at 10.41 of the first period when he blasted the puck past Turk Broda after escaping from a Leaf power play. Sands was partially stopped by Syl Apps but picked up his stride to finish off a good effort in stellar style.

Sweeney Schriner tied the count some five minutes later when he beat Goalie Bert Gardiner with a withering drive that caught the far corner of the net. The puck hardly left the ice.

Bill Taylor engineered the play, slipping a rink-wide pass to his teammate to figure in Schriner's twenty-first goal of the season.

It was the sixth defeat for the sixth-place Canadiens at the hands of Toronto this season. One other meeting ended in a deadlock.

The Line-Ups

Canadiens—Gardiner, Goupille, Portland; Quilty, Blake, Benoit. Subs: Reardon, Sands, G Mantha, Getliffe, Chamberlain, Lach, Adams, Graboski, O'Neil.

Toronto—Broda, McDonald, Hamilton, Langelle, Heron, Davidson. Subs: Stanowski, Kampman, Apps, Schriner, Drillon, Marker, N Metz, D Metz, Taylor.

Officials—King Clancy, referee; Bert McCaffery, linesman.

Summary

First Period—1. Canadiens, Sands (Reardon), 10.41. 2. Toronto, Schriner (Taylor, McDonald), 15.52. Penalties: Goupille (2), Chamberlain, Davidson.

Second Period—No score. Penalties: Portland, Hamilton, Taylor.

Third Period—3. Toronto, N Metz (Davidson, Drillon), 11.17. Penalties: Getliffe, Kampman, Graboski, Portland.

BLACK HAWKS WIN

NEW YORK, Feb 20 (CP) — Chicago Black Hawks tonight scored three third-period goals to defeat the hapless New York Americans, 4-2, and advanced into a tie for fourth place in the National Hockey League standings with New York Rangers.

Bill Thoms seized upon a defence lapse by the Hooley Smith-Pat Egan defence halfway through the last period to break a 2-2 tie. The Chicago centre intercepted a pass between the two defencemen deep in the American end, raced through them, and fired a rising shot into the nets for the winning goal. Max Bentley's break-away goal three minutes before the end on a play with his brother Doug made the victory certain.

Of the earlier goals, three went to defencemen on long shots. Pete Slobodian of Americans netted the first, Joe Cooper tied it for Hawks on a shot that dribbled off Charlie Rayner's glove into the cage. Then, after Pete Kelly put Americans ahead again in the third period, Earl Seibert tied it at 2-2 on a whistling shot from the right boards.

Line-Ups

Americans — Rayner, Egan, R Smith, Boll, Carr, Kelly. Subs: Conacher, Slobodian, Armstrong, Jackson, Wycherley, Larson, Corrigan.

Chicago — Lo Presti, Seibert, Weibe, Thoms, Chad, B Carse. Subs: Mackay, March, Allen, Cooper, Hergesheimer, D Bentley, Dahlstrom, M Bentley.

Officials—Stewart and Stevenson.

Summary

First Period—1, New York, Slobodian, 8.45. Penalties: Slobodian, Seibert.

Second Period—2, Chicago, Cooper (Chad), 8.14. Penalties: None.

Third Period—3, New York, Kelly (Boll), 7.53. 4. Chicago, Seibert (Allen, Dahlstrom), 8.20. 5. Chicago, Thoms, 11.59. 6. Chicago, M Bentley (D Bentley), 17.32. Penalty: Egan.

A BRIGHT IDEA

A woman visited a West End store at which a mannequin parade was provided as a tearoom attraction, with her five-year-old daughter.

In the sudden stillness caused by the entrance of four beautiful damsels clad in the most ravishing of pyjamas, the little child piped, shrilly. "Oh, mummy! We really must bring daddy here!"

HIGH SCORING SQUAD COMING

Tacoma Hoopsters, Mutual Oilers, Playing Dominoes Tomorrow

Mutual Oilers, high-scoring cage quintette and undefeated leaders of the Tacoma City League, will be the next American hoop squad to face the Victoria Dominoes, former rulers of Canada's basketball domain. Final arrangements for the appearance here of the United States court squad have been completed, and the international fixture will headline the Saturday night hoop programme at the Sports Centre.

Press reports from Tacoma stamp the Oilers as one of the finest teams ever to perform in that city. Reporting on their last league fixture in which they defeated the 60th Signal Corps, 62 to 35, The Tacoma Ledger has the following to say about the Mutual Oilers: "Just a sweet ball club. That's the Oilers. They appear equally as strong as the Heidelbergs of 1937. That club won the loop title with ease, and then waltzed through the Northwest A.A.C. tourney, and went to the National A.A.U. championship meet at Denver.

"Also strongly reminiscent of the famed Wheeler-Osgood club of 1935 and 1936 the Oilers have youth, color, scoring, checking and loads of determination. They did not let down against a hopelessly outclassed Army club, but instead put on the pressure to drive to a new all-time loop scoring mark."

DOMINOES ARE "HOT"

Victoria fans well remember the class of the Wheeler-Osgood and Heidelbergs, and if the Mutual Oilers live up to their advance reports local followers of the leather handling code should witness a thrilling exhibition. One thing is certain, the Dominoes are as "hot as a firecracker" right at this moment, and it will take a fast, smart, sure-shooting club to stop them.

Dominoes will travel to Cumberland today for an exhibition fixture in that city tonight.

Two other contests will be presented on the Saturday evening programme at the Willows. Eagles, senior "B" men's Island finalists, and T.A.C. Arrows, senior "A" men's city finalists, will meet in the curtain raiser at 7 o'clock. Second fixture will bring together Young Dominoes and Sooke intermediate "B" boys' quintettes, in the final game of the Lower Island play-downs.

PRO GOLF EVENT AT DENVER CLUB

DENVER, Feb 20 (AP)—It took only a month's campaigning—plus a $15,000 guarantee—to land the National Professional Golfers' Association golf tournament for Denver next Summer.

Tom Walsh, president of the P.G.A. announced at Miami, Fla., today the meet will be held at Cherry Hills Course July 7 to 13.

This will be the first time the colorful match play event has been staged in the Mountain section.

Byron Nelson of Toledo, Ohio, won the event last year with a one-up victory against Sam Snead, of Hot Springs, Va.

Ernie Vigh Winding Up



This wind-up and the following swing, demonstrated by Ernie Vigh, of Newburgh, N.Y., didn't do him much good when he met up with Billy Soose (left) in a ten-round fight at Madison Square Garden. Soose won the decision, which put him in first place as challenger for the middleweight championship now held by Ken Overlin.

OARSMEN READY FOR CUP GAME

City Rugby Champions Will Face Navy Tomorrow in Important Fixture

BARNARD CUP SERIES

	P	W	L	Pts
J.B.A.A.	3	2	1	4
5th R.C.A.	3	2	1	4
Navy	2	1	1	2
Canadian Scottish	3	1	2	2
Garrison	3	1	2	2

Next Game — Saturday, J.B.A.A. vs Navy, Macdonald Park, at 2.45 o'clock.

Co-holders of top berth in the Barnard Cup standings, J.B.A.A. ruggers, defending city champions, will battle the Navy, tomorrow, at Macdonald Park, in one of the most important fixtures of the season. Victory for the oarsmen will boost them into sole occupation of the premier spot, and greatly strengthen their chances of retaining the silverware.

Bays uncorked considerable scoring punch last week when they smothered the Garrison, 35-3, in one of the season's most one-sided contests, while the sailors nosed out the Canadian Scottish, 6-5, in the last minutes of a keen struggle.

Tomorrow's match should produce some of the best Rugby of the season with the high-scoring oarsmen conceded an edge over the Esquimalt bluejackets. Sailors will be strengthened by the inclusion of Jack Ruttan, former soldier forward, and one thing is certain—Mr. Ruttan will make his presence felt in the Navy pack.

Bays held their final training session last night at Macdonald Park, while the Navy completed their pre-game workouts at Admirals Road.

Victoria Rugby Union officials last night announced the postponement of the scheduled Barnard Cup game between the 5th R.C.A. and Canadian Scottish.

J.B.A.A. line-up follows: Simpson, Ward, Payne, Gaunt, Ware, Cullin, Andrews, Mair, Anderson, Sparks, DeMacedo, Williams, Roberts and Thompson.

$1,000,000 FOR RACING OWNERS

CHICAGO, Feb 20 (AP)—Arlington Park and Washington Park will distribute almost $1,000,000 to horsemen through sixty-six days of racing next Summer, it was announced today by John D. Jackson, general manager of the two tracks.

Arlington Park's meeting of thirty-four days will open June 23, Washington Park's on August 1.

The thirteenth running of the Classic, July 26, will top Arlington's meeting with the No. 1 race at Washington being the American Derby, August 23.

HAVANA, Feb 20 (AP)—Pitcher Hugh Casey, of Brooklyn Dodgers was fined $100 today by Larry MacPhail because he reported for training four days late. The pitcher reached camp yesterday.

TRIPLE SOCCER CARD PLANNED

Duncan Indians and Shamrocks Will Feature Sunday's Programme

Stronger than when they played in the Lower Island finals last season, Young's Shamrocks, under eighteen juvenile soccer club, will face strong opposition Sunday at Heywood Avenue, when they stack up against the Duncan Indians. The inter-city match will be the feature attraction of a triple bill scheduled at the city playing field, and providing action for five local teams.

Brother C. A. O'Donnell, hard-working secretary of the Lower Island Junior and Juvenile Association, in making arrangements for the Sunday card expressed the opinion that it would give local fans some idea of the work being done among the younger footballers. Teams in three divisions, first, second and third, will perform.

Gorge Aces and St. Louis College will play in the curtain raiser at 1.30 o'clock, with the Chinese Students and Arts Shamrocks billed to perform one hour later. Duncan Indians and Young's Shamrocks are slated to take the field at 3.30 o'clock.

Fourth division league matches scheduled Saturday will bring together the Gorge Rovers and the vastly improved Maple Leafs at Central Park, and James Bay and Cloverdale United at Royal Athletic Park. P. J. Woodley will handle the Rovers-Leafs contest, and Edgar Borde will officiate at Athletic Park. Kick-offs are set for 10.30 o'clock.

SANTA ANITA RACING

SANTA ANITA, Feb 20—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs
Bar Copper (Westrope) 16.00 13.20 12.80
Lovers Lass (Corbett) 3.20 2.80
Beth Saide (Bierman) 6.00
Time, .35. Also ran: Sky Victory, Playful Faler, Lady Spunsor, Keep Punchin, Hard to Rack, Natria, Carawood.

SECOND RACE—Three furlongs
Ouchita (B. W. Smith) 28.80 18.60 11.60
Little Darlin (Bierman) 5.80 3.40
Vain Beauty (Longden) 5.40
Time, .35 4-5. Also ran: Prior Right, Lady Silver, Potato, Tis, Rose Crusader, Ostile, Bialle.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs
Neze Kir (Strange) 119.20 36.48 15.00
Kumreigh (Corbett) 4.00 3.20
Party Spirit (Parise) 3.60
Time, 1.14 3-5. Also ran: Iron Smith, Winsome Bells, Discussion, Marion W., Miss Tie, On Fire, Peer Star, God Speed, Wildoat.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs
Scotch Bread (Bierman) 18.40 13.80 12.80
Justices (Rodriguez) 5.00 3.60
Back X (Corbett) 3.20
Time, 1.15 2-5. Also ran: Blue Pessie, Chalence, Mickeys Best, Valdina Flash, Heel In, Tradition, Ercole Tai, Jocks Ann.

FIFTH RACE—Seven furlongs
Xenutos Fox (Nicholson) 110.00 38.80 14.00
Old Whisley (Westrope) 4.00 3.60
Star Struck (Adams) 3.20
Time, 1.27 4-5. Also ran: Maestro Sascha, Morfreal, Oridine.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs
Sales Talk (Parise) [illegible] 113.10 38.80
King Torch (Rodriguez) 13.40 4.80
In Charge (Longden) 3.80
Time, 1.13 2-5. Also ran: Count Chat, Handy Tom, Barrymore, Port.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Hatteley (Longden) 25.00 13.40 12.60
Ariar (Skelly) 3.00 2.80
Good Teddy (Neve) 3.40
Time, 1.48 3-5. Also ran: Count It, Olimpo.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Sir Strettin (Nicholson) [illegible] 33.60
Haste On (Parise) 6.40 4.60
Dear Yankee (Rodriguez) 3.80
Time, 1.50 2-5. Also ran: [illegible], Jest Once, [illegible]

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs
[illegible]
Iron Pioneer
Amys Second
[illegible]
Wise Witch
Flame Away
Air Spring
[illegible]
Gala Reigh
Gala Post

SECOND RACE—[illegible]
[illegible]

Tony Zale to Risk Crown in Chicago; Hostak Also Fights

Middleweight Boxing Champion to Meet Steve Mamakos Tonight—Seattle Lad Faces George Burnett, Detroit Negro—Two Important Bouts Are Carded in New York Ring

CHICAGO, Feb 20 (AP)—Some of the hardest hitters in boxing's middleweight division will blast away at the stadium tomorrow night in the first championship fight card here in three years.

Tony Zale, of Gary, Ind., the National Boxing Association's 160-pound champion, will risk his crown against Steve Mamakos, of Washington, D.C., in the top bout of a card which also features a match between Al Hostak, who lost his title to Zale, and George Burnett, Negro slugger from Detroit.

Altus Allen, Chicago, takes on the Finn veteran, Gunnar Barlund. Johnny Ray, manager of Billy Conn, said Conn will meet the winner of the Allen-Barlund bout in Chicago late in March "if there is a public demand for the match."

NEW YORK, Feb 20 (AP)—A fellow whose mama sent him into the ring because he was "too skinny" and another who thinks fighting is better than pulling teeth, tangle tomorrow night in Madison Square Garden in the first step toward settling the laughable light-heavyweight fuss.

The one is Jimmy Webb, twenty-three, born in Little Rock, Ark., more recently out of St. Louis, Houston and, finally, Dallas. When he was fourteen his mother figured there wasn't enough heft to his "tummy," and, somehow, decided he ought to try the ring to build himself up. He did.

The other is Robert Tucker, who fights under the name of Tommy Tucker. He's the son of a Long Island dentist, but would rather knock teeth out than pull them.

They'll tussle for fifteen rounds in the first of a series of bouts designed to have the feuding New York State Athletic Commission and the National Boxing Association kiss and make up on the matter of the logical 175-pound boss.

As the second step in the planned elimination, Anton Christoforidis of Greece, recognized as champion by the N.B.A., will meet Gus Lesnevich, of Cliffside, N.J., here May 2. The winners of the two brawls will fight it out for the crown some time later.

SUNDAY GRID BATTLE SET

Nationals and V.H.S. Alumni Will Meet in Important Gridiron Tilt

Stronger and better balanced than when they dropped a decision to the V.H.S. Alumni a few weeks ago, Coach Sid Anderson's Nationals, fresh from their triumph over the Oak Bay Blue Devils, will stack up against Alumni again when the two grid squads meet in a Sunday fixture at Royal Athletic Park. The kick-off is set for 3 o'clock.

Coach Jimmy Smith's proteges are riding at the top of the standings, two full points ahead of the Nationals and the Oak Bay Blue Devils, but in order to retain undisputed occupation of that berth must take Sunday's contest. Rival coaches are pointing their clubs for victory and are both confident they can take the important fixture. As to the final, correct answer, that will be reached Sunday at the Caledonia Avenue gridiron after sixty minutes of good football.

Perhaps a resume of the earlier contests will throw some light on the probable winners of Sunday's battle. Well, here it is: V.H.S. Alumni dropped the season's opener to the Blue Devils, and the week later climbed on the winning van at the expense of the Nationals. In a subsequent contest Alumni upset the Blue Devils and one week later the Nationals eked out a narrow decision over Coach Bob Fulton's Oak Bay gridders.

BRADLEY COLORS OUT OF CLASSIC

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 20 (AP)—Colors of Col. E. R. Bradley, which have flashed to victory in four Kentucky Derbies, will be out of the 1941 classic.

Col. Bradley wrote Col. Matt Winn, president of Churchill Downs, where the three-year-old thoroughbreds' $75,000 race is held each year, that "I haven't got a horse I can start."

Nominations for the Derby closed February 15 and will be announced March 6.

Bradley's colors won in 1921, 1926, 1932 and 1933. Last year his Bimelech was the overwhelming favorite but lost to Gallahadion.

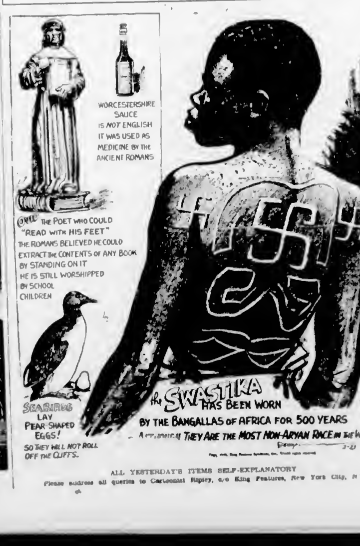
Pastor Is Matched

LOS ANGELES, Feb 20 (AP)—Official sanction was voted by the California Athletic Commission today for a heavyweight boxing match March 17 between Bob Pastor, of New York, and Al (Turkey) Thompson, Los Angeles negro and California State heavyweight champion.

Promoter Tom Gallery assured the commission after a long distance talk with Mike Jacobs in New York that Heavyweight Champion Joe Louis would meet the winner.

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OSCAR VITT GETS BONUS

Former Manager of Cleveland Awarded $2,500 by Kenesaw Landis

CHICAGO, Feb. 20 (AP) — If, as they say, money talks, Oscar Vitt [illegible] with Cleveland Indians—by proxy

The last word, exactly $2,500 worth, was delivered in behalf of Vitt by Commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Landis, who ruled favorably on Vitt's salary claim against the American Baseball League club which dismissed him late last October.

Vitt, now manager of Portland in the Pacific Coast League, was paid $15,000 for the 1940 season, a hectic one marked by a rebellion of players against him, differences with the Indian front office and a stretch drive which saw Detroit nose out Cleveland for the league pennant. When Cleveland declined his demand for $2,500 bonus, he took his case to Landis.

At Cleveland, President Alva Bradley, of the Indians, said: "Landis said we owed the bill and we paid it."

Vitt had a contract calling for a $2,500 bonus for every 100,000 customers above the 600,000 mark. Bradley said they agreed in mid-season that if the figure were between 600,000 and 700,000 Vitt would receive the $2,500 anyhow. Since attendance was above 700,000, the club paid Vitt one $2,500 bonus but balked at giving him another one of $2,500.

Northwest Champion Is Boxing Coach



JACK PATTERSON

NORTHWEST heavyweight boxing champion and coach of the Victoria Amateur Boxing Club, who has lined up a good programme of fisticuffing for the club's inaugural show at the former Cranleigh House School gymnasium, off Willows Road. Eight bouts are listed, with Lionel Speller and Teddy Grey, two promising local scrappers, scheduled to swap punches in the main event. Other boys billed to don the leather mittens include Bob Saunders, Groff Murdoch, Jimmie Buxton, Vic Murdoch, Bob Patterson and other well-known local fisticuffers. First melee is set for 8 o'clock. The general public is invited to attend. No charge will be made for admission.

BOXING CARD SET TONIGHT

Roy Duval to Swap Punches With Montrealer in Main Event This Evening

With Pat Madden, former Montrealer, slated to swap punches with [illegible] Royal Oak scrapper, in the main event, the Victoria Boys' Athletic and Hobby Club will stage another of its popular mixed wrestling and boxing programmes this evening, at their Cook Street headquarters. First mix will start at 8 o'clock.

Tommy Drysdale, co-director of athletics, announced yesterday that a number of soldier boxers are billed to show on the card. The Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps will be on hand with a boxing team in charge of Corporal Whittaker. Efforts are also being made to have two army heavyweights appear on the programme.

Madden is reported to be a stiff puncher and a shifty boxer, and if the Montrealer lives up to his advance reputation, the Royal Oak scrapper is going to have a busy evening.

Boxers listed to appear are Roy Duval, Allan Duval, Pat Madden, Cpl. English, Pte. Elkins, Pte. Lorrance, Pte. Fenichuk, Pte. McIvor, Pte. Edwards, Pte. Haydut, Ken Ferguson, Jack Gwilt and Laurie Booth.

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MAKING FIRST MAT SHOWING

Bulldog Jackson to Appear Before Victorians on Grappling Card

Bulldog Jackson, known in Northwest cities for rough tactics once the gong is sounded, will be making his first Victoria appearance tomorrow night when he steps through the ropes to grapple Herb Parks in one half of the double main event on the wrestling card to be presented at the Army and Navy Veterans. Jackson has been warned several times in Vancouver, Portland and other cities to get in a wrestle and forget about the unethical methods he has adopted lately.

Tomorrow evening, Referee Stan Miles has strict instructions from the matchmaker to make the Bulldog behave, and if he doesn't there will be fireworks from all angles. In Parks he will be up against a clever heavyweight and so therefore the fans are promised plenty of action during the scheduled five ten-minute-round event.

Chief Thunderbird is waiting anxiously to grapple John Katan, the husky from Alberta, in the other half of the double main. The Saanich Indian will be out to score another victory and figures that Katan will be his next victim, but at the same time he is not taking the Prairie heavyweight any too lightly.

The usual preliminary will open the show at 8 o'clock.

Hi-Y Conference To Open Tonight

With registration numbering over a hundred girls from Vancouver, Victoria and Ladysmith, the annual Hi-Y conference will open today at the Victoria Y.W.C.A.

Miss May Westwood, Hi-Y secretary from Vancouver, has been conferring with local officials as to final details.

Discussion groups under the leadership of Dr. Lindenfield, recently from Vienna, doctor of medicine and psychiatry; Rev. G. Hayden Stewart, Mrs. Margaret Ryan Robertson, formerly of the Victoria Y.W.C.A.; Miss Olive Heritage and Mrs. Beckwith will be based on the theme "Courageous Living."

The opening banquet will be held tonight, with Dr. Henrietta Anderson introducing the theme and discussing "Why a Conference?"

Tomorrow, after a banquet at the Empress Hotel, Mrs. G. Downes will be guest speaker at a programme arranged including songs, musical items and dramatic selections.

A closing ceremonial and attendance at morning service at Christ Church Cathedral will bring the conference to an end on Sunday.

ST. ANDREW'S

The Young People's Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church entertained the Chinese Presbyterian Society at an enjoyable social on Monday. The lecture room was prettily decorated in red and white. Community singing was led by Allan Anderson, assisted by Fred Arnot at the piano. Games were led by Lily Wilson. After the refreshments the contents of the Valentine box were distributed by the postman, Gordon Winter. On Sunday there will be held a song service in the lecture room after church. Light refreshments will be served. All young people and men on active service are welcome.

Guatemala Is Subject Of Address

"Guatemala, the Land of Enchantment" was the subject of the fascinating address given by Mrs. A. W. Mackenzie last evening, when the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club celebrated international night. The customs and religious rites of the natives were described, and the beautiful country, teeming with colorful native life and filled with the ancient Mayan and Spanish colonial days, was vividly portrayed. Seventy-five per cent of the population was Indian, Mrs. Mackenzie said.

Under a dictatorship since 1931, the country was self-supporting, education was compulsory and the city of Guatemala was very modern. The hand weaving and textiles of the native workers were noted all over the world, the speaker said, and the wonderful growth of the country was due to the climate. Mrs. Mackenzie spoke of the market, where tourists gathered to buy costumes and handwoven work, and where orchids may be purchased for 5 cents a dozen. Natives made their living on the coffee and banana plantations, the main industries of the country.

LOW STANDARD OF LIVING

Speaking of the grandeur of the Mayan Highlands of Guatemala, Mrs. Mackenzie remarked that every village in the Highlands had its own native costume, which was the most colorful in the world. The laws were strict and the primitive people of the hills had a low standard of living. A Guatemalan costume complete with sandals, all hand made, was displayed at the meeting and served to illustrate Mrs. Mackenzie's description of the native dress.

Miss Margaret Clay, president of Canadian Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, brought greetings and gave an account of conditions of the clubs she had visited explaining how the war had retarded advancement in the European countries, where clubs which had existed five years ago were no longer in existence.

Mrs. Dennys Godfrey, accompanied at the piano by Miss Denise Godfrey, sang "Slave Song" (Del Riego), and an Italian song, "Torna a Sorrento," and a French song, "L'Obstination."

Mrs. Kate Farquharson, the president, was in the chair and introduced the speaker, who was heartily thanked for her educational address.

Tea was served at the conclusion of the meeting and an informal time enjoyed.

Old Kentucky CIGARETTES

DRAW AT UPLANDS

The quarter and semi-finals will be played at Uplands on Sunday in the competition for the Feeney Cup, and the final will be played on Sunday, March 2.

The starting times follow:

CUP FLIGHT

8.00—Alan Riches vs Fred Smith, R. Williams vs William Lovell, played.

9.05—D. Fletcher vs W. Court.

8.10—J. A. Likely vs A. L. Mackenzie.

FIRST FLIGHT

9.15—J. Inglis vs Vic Lee.

8.20—J. Hogan vs. W. G. More; L. J. Hibberson vs L. J. Proctor, played; W. S. Smith vs P. R. Moore, played.

NANAIMO BEATS MILLMEN EASILY

NANAIMO, Feb. 20.—Nanaimo Clippers beat Fraser Mills hockey team here tonight, 11-2, in the second game of the best three-of-five series for the Coast amateur championship. Mills won the first game in New Westminster, 3-2. The next game will be played in New Westminster on Saturday night and the third here, Monday night. Mills held the locals to a two-one count in the first period, but in the second, Clippers went through for five goals without a return from Red Beatty's millmen, a bewildered set of hockeyists who went to the dressing-room trailing, 7-1. Then four more were tallied for Clippers in a hectic third round, with but one goal for the visitors scored at the ten-minute mark by Hogarth. Jack Hansen was the shining light for Clippers. He has played all season with the D.C.O.R.'s, but was signed by Manager Bill Phillips yesterday to play for Clippers in replacement of McGill.

The teams:

Fraser Mills—Engleman, goal; Condor, Neilson, Logan, defence; Hewitson, Hogarth, Robinson, Hockley, Beatty, Wood, Dedrous, forwards.

Nanaimo Clippers—Davis, goal; McPherson, Hoppus, Phillips, defence; Carr, Steedman, Corry, Martinson, Hansen, forwards.

Referee, Lulo Lennon.

SUMMARY

First Period—Corry (Hansen) 22; Beatty, 3.14; Steedman (Hansen), 5.45. Penalties: Steedman, Logan, Corry, Hewitson.

Second Period—Hansen (McPherson), 1.32; Martinson, 5.00; Phillips, 6.40; McPherson (Martinson), 12.00; Martinson, 13.10. Penalties: Logan, Dunn.

Third Period—McPherson (Carr), 4.16; Carr (Martinson), 5.55; Hogarth (Woods), 10.00; Phillips (Steedman), 14.30; Steedman (Hanson), 18.56. Penalties: None.

UNITYS RALLY TO GAIN STALEMATE

Victoria Unitys and West Road, senior "B" women's cagette squads, last night played to a 20-20 tie in the first game of the home-and-home play-offs for the Vancouver Island championship.

Roaders established a 18-8 lead at the end of the first half, but could not hold off the closing bid of the Unitys. In the late stages of the keenly-fought contest, Coach Wally Yeamans' Victoria hoopsters drove through for telling points and finally ended the contest in a stalemate.

Second and final game will be played next Wednesday evening at the Victoria Sports Centre.

Zaruk refereed.

Line-ups and scorers:

Unitys—C. Reid, G. Jones 2, V. Bourke 2, E. Day 7, M. Medler 4 and M. Peden 5. Total, 20.

West Road—R. Handy 7, V. Handy 5, O. Turner 2, S. Waldron, G. Cunningham 3 and N. Turner. Total, 20.

At the Theatres

ADVENTURE DRAMA NOW AT DOMINION

"The Son of Monte Cristo" Co-Stars Louis Hayward and Lovely Joan Bennett

Louis Hayward had more than his share of sword duelling and fencing during the production of Edward Small's "The Son of Monte Cristo," the swashbuckling adventure drama which will start today at the Dominion Theatre.

In this new picture, in which he shares stellar honors with Joan Bennett, he plays the part of the son of the most fabulous character ever written into a book. While his business is banking, his avocation is ministering to beautiful ladies, which, of course, leads to several duelling jousts.

One of the most exciting staged on the Edward Small sound stages involved Hayward in a bout with a group of soldiers. The setting was an old inn on the borders of nineteenth century Poland. This scene of fast and furious swordplay took the combatants up and down stairs, across tables and chairs and wound through dark corridors.

YORK THEATRE Thrilling, timely story of an enemy aerial invasion of England, Columbia's "An Englishman's Home," was written by a British airplane squadron officer, who took part in two spectacular air raids of Heligoland within a week. The film, now at the York Theatre, features Edmund Gwenn and Mary Maguire.

PLAZA THEATRE Ralph Bellamy and Margaret Lindsay share romantic honors in Universal's gay action drama, "Meet the Wildcat," now at the Plaza Theatre with Joseph Schildkraut, Allen Jenkins, Jerome Cowan and Frank Puglia. The story exposes the activities of art thieves who prey upon a famed museum in Mexico City.

OAK BAY THEATRE One of the gayest comedies in years is at the Oak Bay Theatre, where Warner Bros.' "My Love Came Back" is playing with Olivia de Havilland in her first screen role since her sensational success in "Gone With the Wind."

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas—Kay Kyser in "You'll Find Out."
Cadet—"The Doctor Takes a Wife," with Loretta Young.
Capitol—Clark Gable in "Gone With the Wind."
Dominion—"The Son of Monte Cristo," with Joan Bennett.
Oak Bay—Olivia de Havilland in "My Love Came Back."
Plaza—"Meet the Wildcat," with Margaret Lindsay.
Rio — Charles Starrett in "South of Arizona."
York—Edmund Gwenn in "An Englishman's Home."

ATLAS THEATRE Kay Kyser was such a success in "That's Right, You're Wrong," his starring film of last year, that the ebullient band leader and his College of Musical Knowledge were returned to RKO-Radio Studio for a second film, "You'll Find Out," which is now showing at the Atlas Theatre.

CADET THEATRE A Loretta Young whose breath-taking beauty is not permitted to intrude upon her delightful debut as one of Hollywood's daffiest comediennes, may be found at the Cadet Theatre, where Columbia's "The Doctor Takes a Wife" is now showing.

RIO THEATRE Charles Starret returns to the Rio Theatre screen in "South of Arizona," Columbia's roaring new Western adventure drama with Iris Meredith, the Sons of the Pioneers, Edmund Cobb, Art Mix, Hal Taliaferro, Dick Curtis and Ed Coxen. Same Nelson, director of other Starrett hits, wields the megaphone.

CAPITOL THEATRE "Gone With the Wind," which is now showing at the Capitol Theatre, brings Vivien Leigh in one of the greatest moving picture character portrayals in film history. There are many notable characterizations, chief of which are those given by Clark Gable, Leslie Howard, Olivia de Havilland and Hattie McDaniel. The part of Miss McDaniel, Negress, in the role of the faithful family servant, is one of the many bright features of the film.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Stocks Retrieve Some Late Loss On Wall Street

NEW YORK, Feb. 20 (AP). — The stock market shifted from reverse to first speed forward today and retrieved 1 to around 3 points of recent losses for leading industrials and rails in the best general upswing in nearly four months.

The list acted better at the start, and, while there was no buying rush at any time, the steady rallying trend was maintained throughout the session. Although scattered issues finished under their tops, many favorites closed at or near best levels.

The principal fly in the recovery ointment was the continued sluggishness of dealings. Transfers for the five hours totaled 451,630 shares, compared with 465,430 yesterday, when the direction was downward. The Associated Press average of sixty stocks, however, held a net gain of .8 of a point at 40.7. It was the largest climb in this composite for any day since November 7.

Helping the right-about, brokers said, were reports from Washington Congress was considering some alterations of the tax laws as a means of easing the burden of excess profits levies for corporations. In addition, a little more notice was taken of the optimistic business picture and the opinions of defence authorities that the labor situation was well in hand.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed as follows:

Thirty industrials, 119.99, up 2.05.
Twenty rails, 27.09, up .53.
Twenty utilities, 18.86, up .05.
Total sales, 450,000.

American P & L.	2 1	2-2
American Rolling Mills	13-4	13 4
American Smelter	40-5	40
American Tel & Tel	157	157 3
Anaconda Copper	22-6	23-7
Atchison Railway	22-6	22-6
American Woollen, pfd	32-4	32-2
B & O Railway	4-3	4 4
Baldwin Locomotive	14-6	14 7
Bendix Aviation	31 4	35
Beth Steel	77	77-4
Boeing	14 5	13
Briggs	21	21-6
C P R	3-1	3-2
C & O Railway	39-6	40-4
Chrysler	65 7	66
Cont. Can	36 6	37 4
Crown Zellerbach	12-6	13 4
Crucible Steel	33	30 3
Curtiss Wright	7-6	7-7
Curtiss Wright A	25 4	26
Douglas Aircraft	85 4	85 7
Dupont	145 4	144-6
Eastman Kodak	127	128
El Auto Lite	30	28 2
Freeport Texas	34 3	35
General Foods	35-4	35-6
Gen Electric	31-6	31 7
General Motors	41 7	43
Great Northern	34 1	34 4
Howe Sound	31 6	33
Intl Harvester	47 4	48 4
Intl Nickel	24-1	24 2
Johns Manville	57	57-4
Kennecott Copper	32-4	33 7
Loew's	32	32
Monsanto Chemical	77-6	78
Montgomery Ward	35 7	36
Nash Kelvinator	4 1	4-2
Nat Dairy	13 1	13 3
New York Central	13 1	13 7
North American Aviation	12 2	13 6
Northern Pacific	6	6 1
Pacific Gas & Elec	26-2	26-3
Packard	3 0	3 1
Paramount Pictures	10 5	10-6
Penn. Railway	22 3	23-7
Pullman	23 6	21 6
Radio	4	4 1
Republic Iron Steel	18 3	18
Safeway Stores	37 4	38
Sears Roebuck	70 5	71
Southern Pacific	8 5	8 4
Southern Rly	12	12-3
Sperry Corp	33	33 4
Standard Oil, Cal	18 3	18
Standard Oil, N J	32 3	33 6
Studebaker	6 2	6 4
Texas Corp.	38-3	38-5
Texas Gulf	35	35 4
Twentieth Century Fox	7	8
Union Carbide	63 1	63 4
Union Oil, Cal	13-3	13-4
Union Pacific	77-4	78
United Aircraft	38 6	37-4
United Airlines	13	13 1
United Gas & Imp	9-1	9-3
U S Rubber	18 1	18-2
U S Rubber, pfd	82	83
U S Smelting	58	58-1
U S Steel	57 6	57 5
Vanadium	27	27-5
Westinghouse Electric	98	98 6
Western Union	20	20-4
Woolworth	30	30 3
Zenith Radio	13 2	13-4

(K. A. Humber Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Bid	Asked
Allied Chemicals	144	148
American Can	8-4	8-5
American Locomotive	12 6	13

Grain Markets

WINNIPEG GRAIN
(K. A. Humber Ltd.)

Wheat—	P C	Open	High	Low	Close
May	77⅛	77⅛	77⅝	77⅜	77
July	78⅛	78⅛	78⅜	78	78⅛
Barley—					
May	40⅝	40⅞	40⅝	40⅝	40⅞
July	43⅝	43⅝	44⅛	43⅝	44⅛
Oats—					
May	35⅛	35⅛	35¼	34⅝	35
July	33⅝	32⅝	33	32⅞	33
Oct	31⅛	31⅝	31⅛	31⅝	31⅝
Rye					
May	60⅛	60⅝	60	60⅛	60⅛
July	60⅛	60⅝	60⅝	63⅝	60⅝
Flax					
May	154⅝	156⅝	156½	154⅝	156⅛
July	152⅛	151	154	153	153⅛
Oct	145	b146	143⅛	146⅛	143

Cash Grain

Wheat—	
1 Northern	73⅝
2 Northern	72⅛
3 Northern	70⅛
Track	73⅝
Oats	
3 C W	33⅜
Track	32⅛
Barley	
3 C W	45
Track	45⅝
Flax	
1 C W	154⅛
Track	124⅛
Rye	
2 C W	45⅝
Track	40

CHICAGO GRAIN
(H. A. Humber Ltd.)

Wheat	P C	Open	High	Low	Close
May	78	79⅝	81	79	81⅛
July	79⅛	73⅝	78	75	75⅛
Sept	78	73	78	78⅛	78
Corn					
May	61⅝	61⅛	61	60	61
July	60⅝	60	60⅛	60	60⅝
Sept	60	59	60	60⅝	59⅝
Oats					
May	35	35	35⅛	34⅝	35⅛
July	31	31⅛	31⅝	31⅛	31⅝
Sept	30⅛	30	30⅝	30⅛	30⅛
Rye—					
May	41⅝	41⅝	42⅛	41⅛	45
July	43⅛	42⅝	43⅝	40⅛	45⅝
Sept	44⅛	44⅛	44⅝	44⅝	44⅝

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	156	158
B A Oil		19
B C Power A	23	25⅝
Burlington Steel		8
Can Car & Foundry, Pfd	22	
C P R	4⅝	4⅝
Cosmos Imp Mills	31	36
Con Mining & Smelting	34⅝	35⅝
Consolidated Paper	2⅛	2⅝
Dominion Bridge	24	25⅝
Dominion Steel & Coal B	7⅛	7⅜
Ford of Canada A	15	16⅝
Gatineau Power 1 Pfd	90	91
Gatineau Power	7⅛	7⅝
Goodyear Tire	74	
Imperial Oil	8⅛	8⅝
Imperial Tobacco	11⅛	12⅝
Intl Metal Indust 6% Pfd	90	100
Intl Metal Indust A	8	8⅛
Intl Nickel	31⅛	
Intl Petroleum	13⅛	13⅝
Montreal L H & P	25	26
Moore Corpn	41	42⅛
National Steel Car	20⅛	21
Shawinigan W & P	15⅛	16
Steel of Canada		82
Hiram Walker G & W	38⅛	40⅛
Bank of Montreal		183⅛
Royal Bank	146	
Canadian Bank of Commerce	151	

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi 5% 1953	62 25	64 00
B C Pulp 6 1950	98 00	99 50
Brown Co 5½% 1946	43 00	46 00
Calgary Power 5% 1960	100 50	100 50
Canada Cement 4½% 1951	102 00	103 50
Canada Steamship 5% 1957	90 75	92 75
C P R 5% 1945	93 00	95 00
C P R 4½% 1921	88 00	90 00
Dominion Tar 4½% 1951	99 00	100 00
Famous Players 4½% 1951	99 00	101 50
Gatineau Power 3% 1946	101 00	103 50
Maple Leaf 6% 1950	78 50	79 50
Massey-Harris 4½% 1954	98 00	98 50
McColl-Frontenac 4½% 1949	101 00	103 00
Shawinigan 4% 1961	100 50	100 50
Simpson's Ltd 4½% 1951	99 00	100 50
United Grain Grwrs 5% 1948	93 00	97 00

BANK CLEARINGS

Victoria bank clearings for the week ended February 20 totaled $1,983,230; for the corresponding week last year, $1,612,680.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 20 (AP).—Quotations in cents.

Official Canadian Control Board rates for United States dollars: Buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in [illegible] selling 9.09 per cent.

Canadian dollar in New York open market 15 3-16 per cent discount or 84.81¼ United States cents.

Germany—40.00 (benevolent 00.45)
Finland—2.00
Greece—.80
Hungary—19.77
Italy—5.05
Portugal—4.01
Sweden—23.85
Switzerland—23.22
Yugoslavia—2.32
Argentina—Official 29.77, free 23.70
Brazil—Official 6.05, free 5.00
Mexico—20.70
Japan—23.46
Hongkong—24.00
Shanghai—5.30

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 20 (AP).—Quotations in dollars. Official (Bankers Foreign Exchange Committee rates): buying 4.02, selling 4.04, open market, cables 4.03.

(Rates in spot cables, unless otherwise indicated.)

Montreal Stocks

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS
(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Algoma Steel, Com	6	
Algoma Steel Pfd	60	63
Assoc Breweries Com	14⅛	15
Assoc Breweries, Pfd	109⅛	
Bathurst Paper	10⅛	10⅝
Building Products	13	14⅛
Canada Northern Power	7	8
Canada Steamships	3⅝	4⅝
Canada Steamships Pfd	17⅛	17⅝
Canadian Alcohol A	2	2⅛
Can Car & Foundry	5⅝	7
Can Car & Foundry Pfd	22⅝	23⅛
Canadian Celanese, Com	20	23
Canadian Celanese Pfd	113	118
Canadian Converters	15	18
C P R Com	4⅝	5
Cockshutt Plow	4⅝	5⅛
Consolidated Smelters	36⅛	38
Crown Cork	20⅛	21
Distillers-Seagrams Com	24⅛	25
Dominion Bridge	24⅛	25⅛
Dominion Coal Com	7⅛	7⅝
Dominion Coal Pfd	13	
Dominion Tar	4	
Dominion Tar Pfd	83	87
Dominion Textiles	72	77
Gatineau Power Pfd	79	
General Steelwares, Com	4⅛	
Hamilton Bridge	3⅝	4⅛
Hollinger	12⅝	13
Howard Smith	11⅛	13
Howard Smith, Pfd	93⅝	96
Hudson Bay M & S	24⅛	
Intl Nickel	31⅛	32
Intl Petroleum	13⅛	14⅛
Lake of the Woods	13	14⅛
Massey-Harris	2⅛	2⅝
Montreal Cottons Pfd	110	
Montreal Power	25⅝	26
National Breweries	24⅛	25
National Steel Car	21	20⅝
Noranda	50	50⅛
Ogilvie	30	30⅛
Ottawa Power	7	11
Penmans		55
Power Corpn	4⅛	5
Price Bros	3	6⅛
Price Bros, Pfd		67
Rolland Paper		12
St Lawrence Corpn Pfd	13⅛	15
St Lawrence Paper, Pfd	37	
Sherwin-Williams	3⅝	11
Steel of Canada	80	81
Steel of Canada Pfd	64	66⅛
Canadian Investment Fund		2 45
Curb		
Abitibi	55	60
Abitibi Pfd	4	4⅛
Asbestos	15⅛	16
Bathurst B	2	
Brewers & Distillers	4	4⅛
Canada & Dominion Sugar	24⅛	26
Canada Malting		30⅛
Canada Vinegars	7	
Canadian Breweries	70	80
Canadian Breweries, Pfd	20	22
Canadian Vickers	3	3⅛
Commercial Alcohols	245	180
Consolidated Paper	6⅛	2⅝
Cub Aircraft	75	80
Donnacona A	2	3⅛
Fairchild	2	
Fleet Aircraft	2⅝	4
Ford A	12⅝	15⅛
Fraser Company	6	6
Massey-Harris, Pfd	25	27⅛
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd		87
Page Hersey	100	101
Sorelle Oil	3	4⅛
Hiram Walker	30	40
Hiram Walker Pfd	18	19⅝
Banks		
Bank of Commerce		158
Bank of Montreal	180⅛	183⅛
Banque Canadienne Nationale		143

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom of Can	1941	5	102 00	102 50
" "	1943	5	107 50	108 50
" "	1944	4	105 00	106 00
" "	1945	4	105 10	106 00
" "	1946	4½	109 25	110 25
" "	1946	3	102 00	103 25
" "	1952	4	105 50	106 50
" "	1958	4½	108 50	109 25
" "	1956	4	108 00	110 00
" "	1956	3	98 25	99 25
" "	1960	3½	100 00	101 00
" "	Perp	3	90 25	90 25
" "	1962	3¼	100 20	103 20
" "	1951	3½	100 00	101 00
" "	1950	3	97 50	98 00

DOMINION GUARANTEES

			Bid	Asked
Can Nat Rlw	1951	4½	112 25	114 70
"	1957	4½	114 25	116 75
"	1955	4½	113 25	117 70
July,	1969	5	113 25	114 75
Oct.,	1969	5	117 75	118 25
"	1954	5	116 50	118 00
"	1953	5	97 50	98 50
"	1944	5	102 75	104 25
"	1950	3	98 50	98 75
Grand Trunk	1962	3	87 50	88 00
"	1962	4	107 75	110 25

Provincial Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4½, 1952	53 00	56 50
Alberta 5%, 1955	55 00	58 00
British Columbia 4 1957	99 50	99 50
British Columbia 4½ 1942	100 00	102 50
British Columbia 4 1953	101 50	104 50
Manitoba 4½, 1960	99 00	102 50
Manitoba 6%, 1950	99 50	100 00
New Brunswick 4½, 1961	99 00	101 00
Nova Scotia 4½%, 1952	104 75	107 00
Ontario 4½%, 1949	108 00	110 50
Quebec 4½%, 1960	100 50	105 50
Saskatchewan 5½%, 1953	80 50	84 50
Saskatchewan 5%, 1952	45 10	49 50

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Australia 5½%, 1960	47 50	49 77
Bolivia 7%, 1958	3 25	4 50
Chile 6%, 1961	9 50	10 00
Colombia 6%, 1961	30 00	31 50
Germany 4½%, 1965	8 00	9 00
Italy 7%, 1951	42 70	44 25
Japan 6½%, 1960	67 00	63 25
Peru 6%, 1961	5 50	6 50
Sydney 5½%, 1955	91 30	99 40
United Kingdom 4%, 1990	99 00	100 50

Above prices in New York.

EGG MARKET

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Produce Inspection Service, Victoria, G 2492.

To producer:
Grade "A" large .17
Grade "A" medium .16
Grade "A" pullet .14

Following are city wholesale:
Grade "A" large .21
Grade "A" medium .20
Grade "A" pullet .19

Metal Markets

MONTREAL, Feb. 20 (CP).—Spot: Copper, electrolytic, 12.75; tin, 63.00; lead, 5.50; zinc, 5.65; antimony, 15.25; per 100-lb. f.o.b. Montreal, five-ton lots.

DIVIDENDS DECLARED

Distillers Corporation - Seagrams, Limited, 55⅛ cents, payable March 15, to shareholders of record March 2.

Pickle Crow Gold Mines, Limited, 10 cents, payable March 21, to shareholders of record March 15.

Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation, 2 per cent, payable April 1, to shareholders of record March 15.

Wright-Hargreaves Mines, 10 cents and 5 cents, payable April 1, to shareholders of record February 28.

Toronto Stocks

MINING SECTION
(Island Investment Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Ajax	15	22
Aldermac	11½	12
Beattie	1 08	1 10
Bralorne	9 50	9 70
Buffalo Ankerite	3 45	3 80
Canadian Malartic	60	40
Central Patricia	98	1 07
[illegible]	22 50	23
Bidgood Kirkland	08	08½
East Malartic	2 24	2 30
Eldorado	34	40
Falconbridge	3 00	3 10
God's Lake	.30	
Gunnar Gold	.24	.27
Hard Rock	.75	.78
Hollinger	12 62	12 87½
Howey	.18	.20
Hudson Bay M & S	24 00	
Intl Nickel	31 75	32 50
Kirkland Lake	.89½	
Kerr Addison	2 00	2 22
Lakeshore	11 00	11 50
Leitch Gold	44	51
Little Long Lac	1 07	1 15
McIntyre	40 75	
Macassa	2 50	2 60
McKenzie Red Lake	1 12	1 13
McLeod Cockshutt	1 70	1 80
McWatters	22	23
Mining Corpn	60	70
Moneta	45½	50
Nipissing	1 03	1 10
Noranda	48 75	49 21
O'Brien	78	77
Pamour	1 10	1 14
Powell Rouyn	.87	.93
Paymaster	21½	22
Pend Oreille	1 40	1 50
Perron Gold	1	1 30
Pickle Crow	2 61	2 67
Pioneer	2 00	2 10
Premier	.88	.90
Preston East Dome	2 50	2 54
Reno	10	11
San Antonio	8 10	
Sherritt-Gordon	57	60
Siscoe	52	54
Sladen Malartic	21	22
Sudbury Basin	1 10	1 25
Sullivan	57	60
Steep Rock	92	1 00
Sylvanite	2 65	2 68
Teck-Hughes	3 15	3 40
Toburn	1 50	1 69
Uchi Lake	26	29
Upper Canada	1 40	1 41
Ventures	3 05	3 30
Waite Amulet	3 50	3 80
Wright-Hargreaves	6 25	6 75

INDUSTRIAL SECTION
(Island Investment Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	159	
Brazilian Traction	5⅛	
Brewing Corpn	78	
Brewers & Distillers	4	4½
B A Oil	18⅝	18⅞
B C Power A	22½	
B C Power B	1 25	1 50
Building Products	12½	14½
Canada Cement	4½	5
Canada Malting		34½
Can Car & Foundry	4½	7
Can Industrial Alcohol A	2½	2¾
Can Industrial Alcohol B	2	
Canadian Pacific	4¼	4½
Cockshutt Plow	4½	4¾
Distillers-Seagrams	24	
Dominion Bridge	24½	25
Dominion Steel & Coal	7½	7¾
Dominion Stores	4½	
Ford of Canada	13	13½
Gatineau Power	7¼	7½
General Steelwares	4½	6
Gypsum	3	6
Imperial Oil	8½	8¾
Imperial Tobacco	11½	12
Intl Nickel	31½	32¼
Intl Pete	13¼	14
Lake of the Woods	15	
Massey-Harris	2½	2¾
Montreal Power	25¼	25½
National Breweries	24½	25
National Steel Car	20	21
Ogilvie	28	30½
Power Corpn	4½	5
Shawinigan	16	16½
Steel of Canada	78	81
Steel of Canada Pfd	65	
Banks		
Bank of Montreal	183	
Royal Bank	148	150

Averages
Industrials, 99.82, up .20
Golds, 66.07, up 1.07
Metals, 65.04, up .14
Oils, 10.14, up .00

That Body of Yours
by JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

THE CHILD WHO IS HARD OF HEARING

When I was a youngster at school we were given our seats in the class room according to our standing in our studies. Thus, those who stood highest were given front seats and those who stood lowest sat at the rear of the room.

Even as a youngster I thought this was a mistake because I felt that a youngster at the rear of the room could be as bright as one at the front if he wanted to be, but could not be seen so well by the teacher if he wanted to read a "dime" novel, eat candy or pass notes.

However, school inspectors and teachers changed this seating arrangement many years ago and now have their students who stand poorly in class right in the front seats where they cannot only be watched more closely by the teacher, but where they can see and hear better.

When I have gone into school class rooms I have been surprised at the number of youngsters wearing glasses, the first knowledge that they needed glasses having been gained because of their inability to see the blackboard.

It was some years later, however, before it was found that many of the apparently "slow" or "dull" pupils were hard of hearing and were unable to hear all the teacher said. And when a youngster cannot hear well he either strains or lenses himself trying to hear or, more often, doesn't pay close attention because he cannot make sense of what little he does hear.

In many schools today instead of the physician or nurse testing the hearing of each pupil individually by means of a tuning fork or the ticking of a watch, a machine called an audiometer is used which can test the hearing of a group of students at one time. One method is having a group of pupils with their backs to the machine walk a certain distance away and stop when they can no longer hear the speaking voice, the sound of which is measured for the amount of sound and its pitch. Those whose hearing is not up to average are given a letter to their home in which parents are advised to see their family physician who may refer the child to an ear, nose and throat specialist for examination.

Early hard of hearing in children is usually discovered because the youngster fails to answer questions or makes mistakes in repeating words or following instructions.

THE VERY PLACE

A society woman who has taken a new house in London says that in one room she will hang pictures of modern artists. Now it's known where to threaten to shut up children when they are naughty.

Scouts' Drive for Medicine Bottles Set for Tomorrow

Boy Scouts of Victoria district, together with Scouts located in the community of Sooke, will make a widespread canvass of the city and surrounding district, in an all-day drive tomorrow for empty medicine bottles to be used by the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps of British Columbia.

In leaving the bottles on the verandas, the public is being asked for medicine bottles only, ranging from one to sixteen ounces. For those who desire to deliver the bottles, they may do so by leaving them at Scout headquarters, 1034 Johnson Street, at any time convenient to them.

It is hoped that more than 9,000 bottles will be collected from this drive.

London Stocks

LONDON, Feb. 20 (AP). — British stock closings, in sterling: Babcock & Wilcox, 40s 3d; Boots Drug, 36s; Central Mining, £11 1-2; Consolidated Goldfields, 34s 4 1-2d; Courtaulds, 29s 7 1-2d; Crown, £12; East Geduld, £9 3-4; H B C., 22s 10 1-2d; Mexican Eagle, 7s 10 1-2d; Rand, £9 1-8; Springs, 21s 3d.

Bonds: British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, £77 1-2; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, £103 1-2; British Funding 4's, 1960-90, £112 5-8.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

OTTAWA, Feb. 20 (CP).—Official Foreign Exchange Control Board rates unchanged at: United States dollars, buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium. Equivalent discounts on Canadian dollars in New York, buying 9.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent.

Sterling, in Canadian funds, buying $4.43, selling $4.47.

BAR GOLD

MONTREAL, Feb. 20 (CP). — Bar gold in London was unchanged at $37.54 an ounce in Canadian funds; 168s in British funds, representing the Bank of England's buying price. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $38.50 in Canadian funds.

Prices Depressed in Light Day's Trading In Vancouver Mart

VANCOUVER, Feb. 20 (CP). — Prices were slightly lower during light trading on Vancouver Stock Exchange today. Transactions totaled 17,770 shares.

Bralorne Gold dropped 10 to 9.50 and Reliet-Arlington slipped a fraction to 2 5-8. Premier Border closed fractionally higher at 2 3-4 and Premier firmed a cent at 87 and Reno was unchanged at 11.

Among the oils Calgary & Edmonton dropped 2 to 1.19 while Calmont at 18 and Model at 18 were unchanged. Other oils were inactive.

Orandview, lone base metal trader, was off 1-4 at 13 1-4.

VANCOUVER QUOTATIONS
(Mara, Bate & Co. Ltd.)

Oils	Bid	Asked
Amalgamated	.00½	.00½
Anaconda		.06
Anglo-Canadian	.53	
A P Cons	.09	.10
C & E Corpn	1 18	1 22
Calmont	.18	
Commonwealth	.20	
Commoil	.20	
Dalhousie Oil	.30	
Davies	.12½	
Kalanden	.14	.15
Four Star		.12
Firestone		.05
Highwood Sarcee	.09	
Home Oil	1 77	1 80
Madison	.01½	.01¾
Mar Jon	.01	.00
Mercury	.04½	.06
McDougall Segur	.06	.07½
Mill City	.04½	
Model Oil		.18
Monarch	.05½	
National Pete	.04½	
Okalta	.50	.60
Pacalta		.04½
Prairie Royalties	.07½	
Royal Canadian	.09½	.10½
Sunlite	17 50	
Venalta		.06
Vulcan		.40
Mines		
Big Missouri	.04	.05
Bralorne	9 50	9 60
Cariboo Gold	2 60	2 75
Golconda	.03½	.05
Gold Belt	.25	.28
Grandview	.12½	
Grull Wihksne	.01	
Hedley Mascot	.47	.55
Intl Coal & Coke	.09	
Island Mountain	.78	.90
Kootenay Belle	.18	.25
Nicola	.09½	
Pacific Nickel	.04	
Pend Oreille	1 40	1 50
Pioneer Gold	2 00	2 10
Premier Border	.02½	.03
Premier Gold	.86	.90
Reeves McDonald	.16	.18
Reno Gold	.11	
Salmon Gold	.01	.02
Sheep Creek	.75	.80
Silbak Premier	.67	
Whitewater	.01	.02
Ymir Yankee Girl	.08	.09½
Miscellaneous		
Coast Breweries	1 20	1 30
Capital Estates	1 10	1 15
United Distillers	.35	

AROUND the DIAL

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

9.30 p.m.—Jeanette MacDonald will have a singing role when she co-stars with her husband, Gene Raymond, in the story "Wreck of Deliverance" on the Playhouse programme. KIRO, KVI.

7.00 p.m.—The distinction of being No. 1 claimant to Billy Conn's light-heavyweight crown will go to the victor of the Tommy Tucker-Jimmy Webb bout. KJR.

9.30 p.m.—"They That Ride the Storm," a tribute to the men of the merchant marine, will be heard in the drama series "This England." CBR.

NEWS BROADCASTS TODAY

Morning—8.00, CBR, CJOR; 8.15, CFCT, KIRO; 9.00, CBR, KJR, KOL; 10.00, KOL; 10.45, CBR, KJR, CJOR; 11.45, KJR; 12 noon, KOL.

Afternoon — 12.30, CBR, CJOR, CFCT; 2.00, KIRO, KOL; 2.45, CBR, CJOR; 4.15, KOMO, KIRO, CJOR; 4:55, CBR; 5.45, KIRO.

Evening—6:15, KJR; 6.30, KJR, KOL, CFCT; 7.00, CBR, CJOR, CKWX; 7.15, KOL; 8.00, CJOR; 9.00, KOL; 9.30, KJR; 10.00, KOMO, KIRO, CKWX; 10.15, CBR, KIRO; 10.30, KOL, CJOR; 11.45, KOL; 11.57, KOMO, KJR.

Key Station Wave Lengths

C.B.C. NETWORK—CBR (1100).
N.B.C. RED NETWORK—KOMO (920), KPO (680), KFI (640).
N.B.C. BLUE NETWORK—KJR (970), KGO (790).
COLUMBIA NETWORK—KIRO (710), KNX (1050), KVI (560).
VANCOUVER—CJOR (600), CKWX (950).
MUTUAL - DON LEE NETWORK—KOL (1270).
VICTORIA—CFCT (1450).

(The following programmes are compiled by the various broadcasting companies and are subject to change.)

8:00 A.M.—B.B.C. News (CBR, CJOR). Morning Airway Express (KOMO). Viennese Ensemble (KJR). Capt. Dobbsie (KOL). Voices in Song (KIRO).

8:15 A.M.—Clark Dennis, tenor (CBR). Against the Storm (KOMO). News (KIRO). Haven of Rest (KOL). Range Rider (CJOR).

8:30 A.M.—The Balladeer (CBR). Serenade (KOMO). Josh Higgins (KJR). The Goldbergs (KIRO). Breakfast Club (CJOR).

8:45 A.M.—Lyle Henderson (CBR). David Harum (KOMO). Ann Sterling Wonders (KJR). Dr. Kathleen Norris (KIRO). Here's a Song for Today (KOL).

9:00 A.M.—News (CBR, KJR). Victor Lindlahr (KOMO). Kate Smith's Noon-Day Chats (KIRO). News (KOL). Shut-In Programme (CJOR).

9:15 A.M.—Our Family (CBR). Patty Jean Health Club (KJR). When a Girl Marries (KIRO). Political Talk and Music (KOL). Radio Revellers (CJOR).

9:30 A.M.—B.C. Schools Broadcast (CBR). Voice of Experience (KOMO). National Farm and Home Hour (KJR). Romance of Helen Trent (KIRO). Ray Oeughters (KOL).

9:45 A.M.—Handy Man (KOMO). Our Gal Sunday (KIRO). Arizona Joe (KOL). Gospel Singer (CJOR).

10:00 A.M.—Happy Gang (CBR). Heart of Julia Blake (KOMO). Life Can Be Beautiful (KIRO). News (KOL). On With the Dance (CJOR).

10:15 A.M.—Tillamook County Creamery Association (KOMO). Inquiring Reporter (KJR). Woman in White (KIRO). Fiesta of Song (KOL). Alan Roth's Orchestra (CJOR).

10:30 A.M.—Arthur Godfrey (CBR). Sophisticated Lady (KOMO). Opportunity (KJR). The Right to Happiness (KIRO). Johnson Family (KOL). Master Singers (CJOR).

10:45 A.M.—News (CBR). Dr. Kate (KOMO). News: Harvey Harding (KJR). Songs of a Dreamer (KIRO). Bachelor's Children (KOL). News (CJOR).

11:00 A.M.—Big Sister (CBR, KIRO, CJOR). Betty Crocker (KOMO). On With the Dance (KJR). Our Friendly Neighbors (KOL).

11:15 A.M.—Life and Love of Dr. Susan (CBR, CJOR). Arnold Grimm's Daughter (KOMO). Ranch Boys (KJR). Aunt Jenny's Real Life Stories (KIRO). Sally Lou Shops for You (KOL).

11:30 A.M.—Music Appreciation Hour (CBR). Valiant Lady (KOMO). Art Museum Talks (KJR). Fletcher Wiley (KIRO). Political Talk, Music (KOL). Singin Sam (CJOR).

11:45 A.M. — Light of the World (KOMO). News (KJR). Home of the Brave (KIRO). Gilbert and Sullivan Gems (KOL). Memory Melodies (CJOR).

12:00 Noon — B.C. Farm Broadcast (CBR). Mary Marlin (KOMO). Orphans of Divorce (KJR). Martha Webster (KIRO). News (KOL). Fourth Floor Studio (CJOR).

12:15 P.M.—Ma Perkins (KOMO). Easy-money Bill (KJR). Businessmen's Committee (KOL). Golden Treasury of Song (KIRO).

12:30 P.M.—News (CBR, CJOR). Pepper Young's Family (KOMO). John's Other Wife (KJR). Kate Hopkins (KIRO).

12:45 P.M.—Philadelphia Symphony (CBR). Vic and Sade (KOMO). Just Plain Bill (KJR). Women of Courage (KIRO). Philadelphia Symphony (KOL). Salad Music (CJOR).

1:00 P.M.—Backstage Wife (KOMO). Mother of Mine (KJR). Portia Blake Faces Life (KIRO). The Man I Married (CJOR).

1:15 P.M.—Club Matinee (CBR). Stella Dallas (KOMO). Cecil Sally (KJR). Myrt and Marge (KIRO). Political Talk, Music (KOL). Sue's Notebook (CJOR).

1:30 P.M.—Talent Parade (CBR). Lorenzo Jones (KOMO). Patty Jean Health Club (KJR). Hilltop House (KIRO). Melody Supplement (KOL).

1:45 P.M. — Mistresses Are People (CBR). Young Widder Brown (KOMO). Cunnoy Joe (KJR). Stepmother (KIRO). Musical Roundup (KOL). Studio Party (CJOR).

2:00 P.M.—Closing Stock Quotations (CBR). Girl Alone (KOMO). Organ Concert (KJR). News (KIRO). News (KOL).

2:15 P.M.—Filling Your Figure (CBR). Lone Journey (KOMO). Sweeneless, Inc. (KIRO). "Should I Go to College?" (KOL).

2:30 P.M.—Popular Songs (CBR). Guiding Light (KOMO). Goodwill, Dance Orchestra (KJR). Carter for Mayor, Interlude (KIRO).

2:45 P.M.—B.B.C. News (CBR, CJOR). Life Can Be Beautiful (KOMO). Wayne Van Dyne (KJR). Scattergood Baines (KIRO). Let's Play Bridge (KOL).

3:00 P.M. — Questions of the Hour (CBR). Treat Time (KOMO). Irene Wicker (KJR). Young Dr. Malone (KIRO). Music, Playground News (KOL). Life Can Be Beautiful (CJOR).

3:15 P.M.—Ralph Martieri's Orchestra (CBR). That Girl From Fishers (KOMO). "The Bartons" (KJR). Hedda Hopper (KIRO). Movie Review; Women's Federation (KOL). Ma Perkins (CJOR).

3:30 P.M.—Mary Munn, pianist (CBR). Homekeeper's Calendar (KOMO). The Munros (KJR). Joyce Jordan, girl interne (KIRO). Government Reports (KOL). Pepper Young (CJOR).

3:45 P.M.—Amusing Ballads (CBR). Gasoline Alley (KOMO). Wife Saver (KJR). The World Today (KIRO). Petite Musicale (KOL). Right to Happiness (CJOR).

4:00 P.M.—Do You Remember? (CBR). American White Cross (KOMO). Make Believe Lade (KJR). The Second Mrs. Burton (KIRO). Fulton Lewis, Jr. (KOL). Road of Life (CJOR).

4:15 P.M.—B.B.C. Newsroom of the Air (KOMO). Radio Magic (KJR). Newsreel (KIRO). Ma Perkins (KOL). News (CJOR).

4:30 P.M.—Toronto Symphony (CBR). Les Sweetland (KOMO). Romance and Rhythm (KJR). Job Finder (KIRO). Tea Tunes (KOL). Woman in White (CJOR).

4:45 P.M.—Dinning Sisters (KOMO). Kenneth Stevens With Gaylord Carter (KIRO). Evening Journal (KOL). Famous Voices (CJOR).

4:55 P.M.—News Comment (CBR).

5:00 P.M.—Musical Programme (CBR). Sports Series (KOMO). Friday Night Army Show (KJR). Father Goose Comes to Town (KIRO). Avenue Band Waves (KOL). Romance Cabin (CJOR).

5:15 P.M.—Jack Armstrong (KOMO). Neighborhood News (KIRO).

5:30 P.M.—The Rangeland (CBR). Information Please (KOMO). Drama Behind the News (KJR). Andrea Rennie for Mayor (KIRO). The Shafter Parker Circus (KOL). Superman (CJOR).

5:45 P.M.—The Cavaliers (CBR). Tom Mix (KJR). Bob Garrard Reporting (KIRO). Captain Midnight (KOL). Concert Hall (CJOR).

6:00 P.M.—Dinner Music (CBR). Waltz Time (KOMO). Scandinavian Reporter (KJR). Talk Your Way Out of This One (KIRO). Melody Time (KOL). Supper Dance (CJOR).

6:15 P.M.—News (KJR). This Thing Called Love (KIRO). Fulton Lewis, Jr. (KOL). Your Favorite Melody (CKWX). Sports Review (CJOR).

6:30 P.M.—Canadian Theatre of the Air (CBR). Everyman's Theatre (KOMO). Sue, Your Happy Birthday (KJR). Playhouse (KIRO). John B. Hughes (KOL). A to Z in Novelty (CJOR).

6:45 P.M.—Roy Misener (KOL). Easy Aces (CJOR).

7:00 P.M.—News (CBR, CJOR). Wings of Destiny (KOMO). Tommy Tucker vs. Jimmy Webb (10-round light heavyweight bout) (KJR). Questionary (KIRO). Raymond Gram Swing (KOL).

7:15 P.M.—War Savings Variety Prgm (CBR). Scevallo for Mayor (KIRO). News Hunt by Lee Kunl (KOL). Light Up and Listen (CJOR).

7:30 P.M. — Alec Templeton Time (KOMO). Al Pearce (KIRO). Lone Ranger (KOL). Piano Patterns (CJOR).

7:45 P.M.—Carson Robinson (CJOR).

8:00 P.M.—Fred Waring (KOMO). Carrol Carter for Mayor (KJR). Amos and Andy (KIRO). Political talk, music (KOL). News (CJOR).

8:15 P.M.—Northern Messenger (CBR). Armchair Cruises (KOMO). Lanny Ross (KIRO). Sinfonietta (KOL). Ocean Sunset (CJOR).

8:30 P.M.—Death Valley Days (KOMO). Johnny Presents (KIRO). I Want a Divorce (KOL).

8:45 P.M.—"Birds" (CBR). Professional Hockey (CJOR).

9:00 P.M.—Joint Recital (CBR). Highlight Hour (KOMO). Gang Busters (KJR). Kate Smith (KIRO). News (KOL).

9:15 P.M.—Roy Misener, talk (KOL).

9:30 P.M.—"This England" (CBR). Pasadena Auditorium: Dances (KOMO). News (KJR).

9:45 P.M. — Seattle Public Schools (KJR). Lost Empire (KOL).

10:00 P.M.—Piano Ramblings (CBR). Reporter News (KOMO). Harmony Time (KJR). Paul Sullivan (KIRO). Henry King's Orchestra (KOL).

10:15 P.M.—News (CBR). Dance Orchestra (KOMO, KJR). News Roundup (KIRO).

10:30 P.M.—Songs of the Years (CBR). Dance Orch. (KOMO) (KJR). Northwest Bible Institute (KJR). News (KOL, CJOR).

10:45 P.M.—Musical Interlude (KIRO). Phil Harris' Orchestra (KOL). Melody to the Right (CJOR). Weather Report (KIRO 10.55).

11:00 P.M.—Gary Nottingham's Orch. (CBR, KOMO). This Moving World (KJR). Clark Ross and Gaylord Carter (KIRO). Shep Field's Orchestra (CJOR). Leon Malice's Orchestra (KOL).

11:30 P.M.—Glen Gray's Orch. (CBR). Dance Orchestra (KOMO). Dance Orchestra (KJR). Nightcap Yarns (KIRO). Cliff Gillette (KOL). Dance Time (CJOR).

11:45 P.M.—Bill Sabransky, organ (KJR). News (KOL). Memories in Music (KIRO).

11:57 P.M.—News Bulletins (KOMO, KJR).

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1450 Kcs.)

7.00 a.m.—Yawn Patrol
8.00 a.m.—Western Time
8.15 a.m.—Breakfast News
8.30 a.m.—Musical Chronometer
9.00 a.m.—Outlook and Uplook
9.15 a.m.—Morning Classics
9.30 a.m.—Dance Time
9.45 a.m.—Concert Interlude
10.00 a.m.—Pastorale
10.30 a.m.—Studio Scrapbook
11.00 a.m.—Empire Salute
11.30 a.m.—Musicprize
12.00 noon—Wartime Intercession
12.14 p.m.—Intermezzo
12.30 p.m.—Midday News
12.45 p.m.—Navy Band
1.00 p.m.—Items of Interest
1.30 p.m.—World Bookman
1.30 p.m.—Vocal Varieties
1.45 p.m.—Gems
2.00 p.m.—Concert Hour
3.00 p.m.—Musical Highlights
3.30 p.m.—Light Classics
4.00 p.m.—Friendly Hour
4.30 p.m.—Teatime Tunes
5.00 p.m.—Monitor Comment
5.30 p.m.—Old-Time Frolic
6.00 p.m.—Happy Birthday Party
6.00 p.m.—Joy Bus; Big Brother Al
6.30 p.m.—News Summary
6.45 p.m.—Gospel Sunshine Hour
7.15 p.m.—War Savings Programme
8.15 p.m.—By Candlelight

LONG JOURNEY

The local railway was very leisurely. The train rumbled along at a snail's pace. The passenger started a conversation with the guard to kill time.

Guard—Yes, I've been traveling on this train for twenty years.

Passenger—Gosh! And what station did you get in at?

SHADES OF WALTON!

An elderly woman was visiting a ranch in Wyoming, and, on noticing a lasso coiled up on a cowboy's saddle, she inquired what it was used for.

"We use that for catching cattle and horses," came the reply.

"Indeed," retorted the woman, "and what do you use for bait?"

NEW CONCERNS ARE LICENSED

Five Companies and Two Societies Registered in British Columbia

Five companies, a credit union and one other society were licensed under the laws of British Columbia this week. The list was announced as follows:

Pacific Home Building, Ltd., $10,000, Vancouver.

City Investment Agency, Ltd., $10,000, Vancouver.

Lownds School of Commerce, Ltd., $10,000, New Westminster.

Kingsway Theatres, Ltd., $10,000, Vancouver.

Willards Apparel, Ltd., $25,000, Vancouver.

The Sun Printing Trades Credit Union, Vancouver, and Circle P. Employees Aid Association, Vancouver, were licensed under other acts. Extra-provincial incorporations were missing during the period.

ONLY FATHER

He—Say, who is that funny-looking fellow who drives your car and works around in the garden? He always frowns at me whenever he sees me here.

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COUNCIL PASSES SCHOOL BUDGET

Trustees Decline to Cut Estimates And Aldermanic Board May Hays to Borrow

CUMBERLAND, Feb. 20.—School estimates occupied the council again at the regular meeting this week.

The secretary of the school board wrote stating that she had been [illegible] the council that the board cannot see its way clear in the paring of school estimates and therefore remit for the consideration of the council the estimated revenue and expenditures for the year 1941 and as presented previously.

Mrs. Gatz, the secretary, stated that careful consideration had been given to the estimated expenditures alloted to the various departments connected with the schools, also the board had given every effort with a view of working in co-operation with the council.

Mayor Maxwell stated that there was not a small municipality in the whole of the Province of British Columbia paying as high a mill rate for school taxes as the City of Cumberland.

Alderman Watson stated the only thing the council could do was to pass the estimates and at the end of the year present the deficit to the Government in an endeavor to collect from them.

EXPECT DEFICIT

There is only one way to meet the estimates, said His Worship, and that was to raise the mill rate. "You can, if you like pass the estimates and at the end of the year, and when short of funds, borrow from the bank and charge the school board with the interest. Then let the board make a vigorous protest to the Government for an increased grant." Mrs. Gatz at this point made it quite clear the trustees were opposed to raising the mill rate.

The estimates, as presented, passed, but at the end of the year if a deficit is shown an effort will be made to have the Government meet it.

A communication from Colin Cameron, M.P.P. for Comox riding, who found it impossible to attend the meeting of the council, sent along some observations on the Teachers' Pension Act.

The British Columbia Railway Company, owners of the Cumberland & Union Waterworks Co., wrote stating that on September 12 last, a pipeline of the Cumberland & Union Waterworks Co., Limited, was damaged on Fifth Street near Lot 7, Block 13, by a bull-dozer employed by the City of Cumberland. The matter of the damage in the sum of $27.90 was referred to the council by Mrs. Layland, local manager.

The chairman of the health committee reported on the measles epidemic and was of the opinion that more drastic measures would have to be adopted. The committee will take the matter up with the medical health officer.

MADRID, Feb. 20 (AP)—Fourteen bodies were recovered today from the ruins of an apartment building which collapsed last night.

Fugitive on a Dude Ranch

By STEPHEN PAYNE

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CHAPTER XXIII.

Preoccupied with her own unhappy reflections, Nancy suddenly became aware that Cinders had finished his dishwashing and was gazing at her expectantly. She said hurriedly, "Excuse me. My wits were wool-gathering. What'd you ask?"

[illegible] mail and telegraph service on the T Slash leaves much to be desired. I'll be hanged if I want a lot of gossips reading any telegrams I choose to send, and I don't like to have everybody see the address of my letters if I write instead of sending a wire."

"Oh! Why should you send a telegram, Cinders?"

"Should let old Bill know . . ." Apparently confused, he bit off the sentence.

"Who's old Bill?"

"A darned good egg. But you wouldn't know him and . . . well, I can't tell you, Bobbie, about my . . . about what I'm to do for him . . . Still, I'm going to ask your advice. You suppose it's all hunky-dory for Miss Farnsworth to go riding alone with Tony?"

Nancy's eyes widened. "Why not? She's able to take care of herself."

"I suppose so. Yet the way she's been raised, kind of a hothouse plant, guarded every minute." Cinders was floundering but plunged on. "We-el, with her so rich maybe somebody'd figure to kidnap her. You wouldn't suppose she's in any danger?"

"None," said Nancy decisively, meticulously wiping knives and forks. "You're interested in Miss Farnsworth?"

"Sort of. But don't get me wrong, Bobbie. I've got a gosh-awful queer feeling about such wealthy heiresses, or too-rich heirs. I resent 'em."

"In short, they give you a pain in the neck?" Nancy put in sweetly.

"We-el, yes. Take this Miss Farnsworth. As a poor man's wife she'd be a washout. That's why I laughed at Slim this morning, for that cowboy's goofy about her. He was silly enough to mention it to Ted and Bing and me, and did we kid him!

"He said in all seriousness, 'Some of them million-dollar gals has been knowed to up and fall for chauffeurs and dude wranglers, and even cowboys. Gimme a chance an' I'll shore try my luck. She smiled at me, she did.'"

"Never can tell," Nancy remarked provocatively. "Slim might stand a better chance than you think."

"Bobbie, you're not serious? But let's talk about you." Cinders emptied dishwater into a refuse pail and wiped his hands, surveying Nancy with undisguised admiration. "You're just your sweet wholesome self. No airs, nothing artificial. Bobbie, you're so natural and genuine that—well, I sure like you! Wh-what's the matter? You look so—so queer."

Nancy was thankful that at this moment Mrs. Perriwell entered the kitchen with definite orders for her new hired help. "Cinders, stop your job on the car long enough to pack wood and kindling to each of the cabins. Then get six or seven fireplace logs up to the Lodge. Bobbie, you haven't cleaned the Lodge yet. Get at it at once. H'mm, you had help with the dinner dishes? Shouldn't wonder if every cowboy on the ranch will find some excuse to stay around the kitchen this evening. However, that's Ike's problem."

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At the edge of a small lake which [illegible] depths, Tony Perriwell helped Roberta Rowland from her saddle. He escorted her to a flat rock, brought water in a collapsible cup, opened a box of lunch and seated himself cross-legged at her feet, from where he might gaze up into her face.

Roberta wasn't very comfortable. Saddles even on slow-moving and easy-gaited horses have a way of torturing a novice at riding. However, no small discomforts could keep her from thoroughly enjoying these new, unaccustomed thrills.

"'Marcia'! How I love that name." The young man tendered a sandwich. "I'm glad the old bus broke down last night. It gave us such a grand chance to get acquainted. I feel I'd known you always . . . Feel the same way—dear?"

Roberta sampled the cold beef sandwich. She said, "I ain't—I'm oot sure, Tony."

Tooy masterfully possessed himself of her free hand, but looked longer at the sparkling bracelet than at the hand. "Perhaps you didn't expect to see a fellow like me on a cow ranch? A man who's been around and talks your language? You realize I'm not going to waste my whole life on a remote ranch where I'm misunderstood?"

Roberta nodded and smiled and reached hungrily for another sandwich. "You mean . . .?"

"These country fallowe don't appreciate my sensitive temperament, my talents, my great ambitions. In getting my education—the long run of these cowboys are very ignorant—I overcame tremendous obstacles, for I had my eye on a goal . . ."

"Uh-huh, you played football," smiled Roberta.

"Ha! You're so quick and witty, Marcia, and you do say the cleverest things. Football? I'll say I played. Was captain of the team all during my college course . . . What college did you graduate from, Marcia?"

(To Be Continued)

DEEDS SCHOOL SITE TO ISLAND TRUSTEES

The Provincial Government set aside three-quarters of an acre on North Salt Spring Island yesterday, as a land reserve for a school site. Five acres similarly were Crown granted to school trustees at Fauquier, as a school reserve there.

MIND ON THE SEA

Seeing an advertisement for a young woman to do light housework, a city girl applied for the job.

"I think the sea air will do me good," she wrote, adding, "Will you please say in your reply where the lighthouse is?"

LIFE'S LIKE THAT - By Fred Neher



"I couldn't help noticing we were both having milk."



FLYIN' JENNY

Goin' My Way? By Russell Keaton



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Jeff Shows Him By Bud Fisher



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By Dale Allen



SUPERMAN

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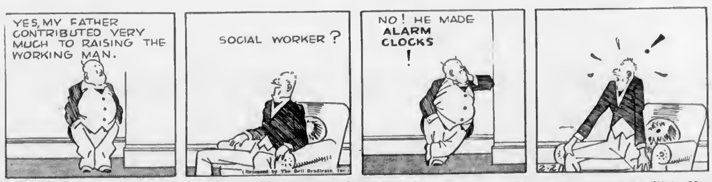


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We Will Take Replies to Box Numbers Over the Telephone

The Colonist service is available from 8 A.M. to 9 P.M., excepting Sundays. Phone Empire 4114.

52 BUSINESS DIRECTORY (Continued)

A 1 FIR SAWDUST, $3.00 BULK, $3.00 sack. Wood $3. Langford Fuel. E 6016.

BONE DRY MALAHAT SLABWOOD mixed $5.00 cord. All dryland wood 1 cord $3.75, 2 cords $6.00. No. 1 fir millwood $2.25 cord, 2 cords $5.50. Inside fir blocks $4 cord. Shawnigan Douglas Fir Wood Co. E 5515.

BEST YOUBOU OR MALAHAT SAWdust, $4.50 sacked. J. E. Painter & Sons, 617 Cormorant St. Phone G 3961.

DRY FIR MILLWOOD, CLEAN, NO rubbish. Try half cord. $3. E 6852.

GUARANTEED NO. 1 FIR MILLWOOD, 2 cds. $6.00. Order now at this low price. Geo. Harbnell. G 2647.

GOOD COARSE DRYLAND SAWDUST from Rock Bay, 60 sacks $4.50. E 2324.

MUST MOVE IN 1 WEEK 60 CDS. 12-inch cedar. Only $1.70 cd. G 3835.

NO. 1 FIR MILLWOOD $3.30 CD. IN 2-cd. lots. Inside fir $4.00 cd. Screened fir sawdust, $3.00 unit. Manning & Shaw Fuels, 741 View Street. P 0624.

ONE WEEK SPECIAL—NO. 1 FIR SLAB mixed inside semi-dry, 2 cds. $6.00. Bone-dry Malahat slab $4.50 cd. Bone-dry inside blocks, $5 cd. Selkirk Wood. D 5374.

SQUARE BLOCKS AND SLABS, BONE dry, 12-in., Douglas fir direct from Malahat slash, 1 cd. $5.50, 1/2 cd. $2.75. P 0786.

SPECIAL SALE—100 cords millwood $3.00

55 HOUSES TO RENT (Continued)

DALLAS ROAD — SIX-ROOM HOUSE, hot-water heating. Spencer & Co., 206 Scollard Building.

HARBY'S MOVING, PACKING, STORage. Phone G 1194. A representative will call and explain our service.

NEW SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW, HOT-water heating, gas, bus, street car. Gorge 140. E 5403.

THREE ROOMS, KITCHEN AND BATHroom, $55. Orange Randall, 1003 Douglas Street. G 6100.

57 WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED HOUSE from Mar. 1 or sooner. Box 5377 Colonist.

57A FURNISHED

RELIABLE TENANT WOULD LIKE A fully-furnished house with at least four bedrooms, in Oak Bay or Esquimalt district, by middle of March or sooner. Box 5267 Colonist.

WANTED—SMALL FURNISHED HOUSE, complete, for 6 months, no agents. Box 5510 Colonist.

57B UNFURNISHED

WANTED—HOUSE TO RENT, LARGE OR small; would buy later house with small cash payment. Box 5100 Colonist.

WANTED—FIVE OR SIX-ROOM HOUSE. Box 5303 Colonist.

3 OR 4-ROOMED HOUSE, REASONABLE rent, fairly close to town. Box 5014 Colonist.

65 AUTOMOBILES

GENERATORS, STARTERS, REPAIRS, ARMATURE WINDING. Victoria Electric, 1019 Blanshard. G 3525.

65A FOR SALE

BUY A USED CAR WITH COMPLETE CONFIDENCE

AT WILSON & CASELDU, Victoria distributors for Chevrolet, Oldsmobile and Cadillac, you can do just that. Largest selection, reliable reconditioning in up-to-date shops and the reputation of an old established reputable firm to back up every transaction. Here are just a few of this week's opportunities.

1929	FALCON KNIGHT SEDAN	$75
1931	STUDEBAKER SEDAN	$195
1930	WILLYS SEDAN	$200
1935	FORD SEDAN	$195

65 AUTOMOBILES (Continued)

BEGG MOTOR CO., LTD.
DOLLAR WINNERS

YOUR DOLLAR WILL BUY MORE at Begg's. Bargain prices at lowest prices consistent with quality merchandise. Take your choice from the largest selection in Victoria and

SAVE WITH BEGG

1937	PACKARD TOURING SEDAN—Flawless condition. Cannot be told from new. Heater equipped	$795
	... Heater, radio and fog lights guaranteed	$1395
1935	DE SOTO TOURING SEDAN—Without a doubt one of our cleanest and best-running cars. Dual accessories	$725
1938	DE SOTO BUSINESS COUPE. Equipped with radio and heater. Truly a lovely car. Price	$995

Three Locations
Yates and Quadra — Phone G 1144
837 Yates St. (Opposite Atlas Theatre)
And Also Our View Street Bargain Lot

BEGG MOTOR CO. LTD.
Plymouth - Chrysler - Dodge - De Soto

ASSURED SATISFACTION IN USED CAR OWNERSHIP
Look for the R. and G. Sign

1940	MERCURY TOWN SEDAN — Only driven 10,000 miles. Next thing to a new car	$1325
1940	FORD DE LUXE TUDOR. Heater and 1941 licence. 10,400 miles	$1050
1938	CHEVROLET SEDAN	$975
1939	PLYMOUTH COACH	$895
1938	PLYMOUTH CUSTOM SEDAN	$895
1938	FORD DE LUXE TUDOR	$775
1937	FORD DE LUXE COUPE	$695
1936	FORD DE LUXE COUPE	$550
1929	AUBURN SEDAN	$195

A Mart for Busy Readers—Property for Sale or Trade

TO OUT-OF-TOWN SUBSCRIBERS

Out-of-town subscribers who wish to answer advertisements in which only the telephone number of the advertiser is given may mail their replies to The Colonist and The Colonist will communicate such replies to the advertiser.

65 AUTOMOBILES (Continued)

WANTED—1939 COUPE FOR CASH. 727 Johnson. G 6434

USED CARS

HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID FOR GOOD USED CARS
JONES BROS. SERVICE STATION, LIMITED
Corner Yates and Quadra
Phone E 8633

67 BOATS AND LAUNCHES

ANCHORS, CHAINS, SHACKLES, MOORING buoys and Manila rope. Ship Chandlers (McQuade's), Ltd.

BOAT BUILDING AND REPAIRS Agents for Bermath and diesel engines. Armstrong Bros., 100 Kingston St. G 1411

ENGINE BARGAINS — 6-VOLT DODGE "6," 1930 Standard Buick, Pontiac, Chrysler, V-8 Ford, Stars. Cameron Bros., headquarters for marine conversions. 1360 Craigflower. E 6594

SPECIAL PROPELLERS MADE. CAMERON, pattern maker. 1080 Craigflower.

WANTED—CLINKER-BUILT ROWBOAT, about 15 feet. Box 1483, Colonist.

76 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

BEAUTY PARLOR FOR SALE AT ONCE, $350 cash. Box 5409, Colonist.

EXCLUSIVE LADIES' WEAR BUSINESS. Stock at invoice. Good location for local and tourist trade. Price approximately $3500

A BY BUSINESS, WELL ESTABLISHED. Large stock. Stock at invoice. No Phone Information
CONYERS-WILDERS CO.
621 Broughton St.

FOR SALE—OLD-ESTABLISHED JEWELRY and watch repair business. Steady profits. Box 5616, Colonist.

FOR SALE — BEAUTY SHOP, FULLY equipped, reasonable. Phone E 5041

$4250 CASH—CITY CENTRE APARTMENT house, furniture and furnishings complete. Revenue $114 monthly. Three-room suite and bath for owner. Box 5500, Colonist.

78 HOUSES FOR SALE

GOOD HOME BUYS

AN IDEAL BUNGALOW HOME, SUITable for 2 or 3 people, comprising 4 rooms, bathroom and breakfast nook, fireplace in living-room, garage, various special built-in features, good condition inside and out, high location (low taxes, approximately $17 yearly), good transportation, city taxes, street car and bus. Only (cash) $1575
Or $1,650 half cash—immediate possession

A BUNGALOW
5 ROOMS AND BATHROOM, BASEMENT, furnace, fireplace, garage, light floors, completely painted and decorated inside and out; high location, low taxes. Only (terms) $2395
First payment $505, balance arranged. Liberal discount for half cash. Immediate possession.

6 ROOMS AND BATHROOM, BASEMENT, furnace, fireplace, garage, etc. Only (half cash) $2450
Liberal discount for all cash. Immediate possession

7 ROOMS AND BATHROOM, OAK floors, basement, furnace, fireplace, Pembroke bath, garage, etc. Only (half cash) $2950
Immediate possession

L. M. ROSEVEAR & CO., LTD.
114 Union Bldg., 612 View St. G 6041

AN ESPECIALLY GOOD BUY—LOVELY stucco bungalow of five large rooms, California design, solidly built and attractive appearance. Two nice lots in flowers and fruits. High location, two miles out. Owner forced to sacrifice at the special price of $3500

BARGAIN IN WELL-BUILT, CLEAN bungalow of five rooms with two extra bedrooms upstairs. Basement, furnace and garage. This property is in first-class condition. Immediate possession $3100

GORGE — A COSY HOME IN FOUR-room stucco bungalow (almost new). Has two bedrooms, garage, open fire, etc. $2600

A. S. MILLER
1300 Blanshard Street (Opposite Library)
Empire 8823

ARTISTIC FIVE ROOMS AND GUEST house, waterfront. Ganges Harbor. Easy access Victoria, Vancouver. Box 5113, Colonist.

CITY—Near 7 rooms, well built, full cement basement, furnace, garage. $1650

CITY—Duplex, 3 and 4-room suites, on one floor, separate entrance. Full cement basement, furnace, garage. Large lot. $2900

CROSS & CO.
350 Government Street Phone E 0633

DALLAS ROAD—ALMOST NEW SEVEN-room stucco semi-bungalow. Living-room (17x18), open fireplace, dining-room, hardwood floors, four bedrooms. Four-piece bathroom. Kitchen, washtubs, pantry. Veranda at back. Full cement basement, furnace. Garage. There is no scenic view in this wide world comparable to that which Dallas Road commands—here's a home with a view you'll never tire of. A very small down payment will handle this. Price $3500

OAK BAY—ADJOINING BEACH DRIVE and park, sea view. Six-room modern bungalow, living-room (25x18), open fireplace, dinette, four bedrooms, each with hot and cold water, three-piece bathroom, kitchen, tile sink, full cement basement, furnace, garage. Well-kept garden and lawn. A classy home in a classy district $4500

EDWARD SPENCER & CO.
300 Scollard Building
Phone E 9724 Night E 0633

DUPLEX, SIX ROOMS EACH, BATH, toilet, near park and sea, always rented. $1,650 cash. Box 5237, Colonist.

FAIRFIELD—SEMI-BUNGALOW, EIGHT rooms (duplex), mostly furnished. Top suite, three rooms, rented at $30 per month. Five rooms for yourself if desired. Will accept four or five-roomed bungalow, four or five-mile circle, part payment. Lots of fruit and nice lawns. Price $4,000. Apply owner. Box 5617, Colonist.

FOR SALE — SEVEN-ROOMED HOME, Cook Street, near park, in A 1 condition and newly painted, rented at $27.00 per month. $2,950, half cash, balance as rent. Apply owner. Box 5418, Colonist.

HOMES BUILT ON INSTALLMENT PLAN, also alterations. O. H. Bale, contractor. Fort at Stadacona Avenue.

CITY

IN A HIGH, HEALTHY LOCATION, close to transportation, with an excellent garden, a good five-room bungalow, spick and span inside and out. Low taxes. $2100

HOPE & COMPANY
651 Central Building G 1013

CHARMING CITY RESIDENCE

SITUATED IN HIGH LOCATION IN THE well-known Rockland district, with country-wide views. With English-type stucco exterior, the main floor comprises: Hall with coat cupboard, large living-room with fireplace, good-sized dining-room with sunroom off, pantry and gas-equipped kitchen. Upstairs are two large and two smaller bedrooms with cupboard in each (one bedroom has a fireplace); two bathrooms and a linen closet. The basement contains the hot-air heating plant, a maid's room, bathroom and laundry. Garage outside garage. Property 80x104 with a well-stocked rock garden. NOW VACANT. Price $4000

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
Real Estate Department
1202 Government Street
Phones: E 4126, E 4126

78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

OAK BAY SPECIAL
HIGH-CLASS RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY
13 ROOMS—CHOICE LOCATION

RECEPTION ROOM 20 X 14, BAY-ing large open fireplace, beamed ceiling. Excellent dining-room with built-in features. Den. Sunroom and kitchen. Six bedrooms upstairs. 3 bathrooms and 3 toilets. Hot-water heating. Laundry tubs. Cemented basement 8 feet in height. 100 ... to the sea. Price (reasonable terms) $12,500
(Exclusive Agents)
H. O. DALBY & CO., LTD.
664 View St. Opposite Spencer's

A BUNGALOW BARGAIN
SIX ROOMS AND BATHROOM, BASEment, furnace, fireplace, garage, laundry tubs, sunroom, numerous special built-in features, a lovely private garden, oak, fruit, and ornamental trees, shrubs, etc. Only (terms) $2550
One-third cash, balance arranged.
L. M. ROSEVEAR & CO., LTD.
113 Union Bldg., 612 View St. G 6041

TO VICTORIA OWNERS OF WINNIPEG property. A member of a well-known Winnipeg real estate firm is in town for a few days and would be glad to give information or advice. We can arrange appointments. The Royal Trust Company, Real Estate Department, 1202 Government Street. Phone E 4126.

$400 DOWN — TWO-MILE CIRCLE nice location, close to sea, lovely well-planned five-room bungalow, full cement basement, furnace, piped to every room. Durold roof, taxes $37. Perfect condition inside and out. You should see this bungalow. Balance $30 per month. Price $2500

CLOSE IN WE OFFER LOVELY FAMILY home of eight rooms, hot-water heat. Can be easily converted into housekeeping rooms or duplex. A real chance for a home and revenue producer combined, or an excellent medium for investment. Extremely well built and not an old building $2000

NEWSTEAD REALTY
313-14 Scollard Building Phone E 1631

HIGH QUADRA
5-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW, CEmented basement, furnace. Fruits and berries in fine garden. Price very moderate. See this at once. Full particulars.
ATLAS REALTY
708 Bank of Toronto Bldg. Phone E 1832

COTTAGES FOR RENT ARE AS HARD TO PICK UP AS AN OYSTER ON A MARBLE FLOOR
THIS IS A PICK UP
5-ROOMED COTTAGE, CENTRALLY LOcated, cosy, good part, among splendid environment. Taxes $32. $1,300, half cash.
W. O. WALLACE
213 Scollard Bldg.
PHONE G 0713

$650—GROCERY BUSINESS QUADRA district. Worth investigation.
$1000—SAANICH BARGAIN — SIX rooms, garage, etc.
$2100 EACH—SIX FIVE-ROOM BUNgalows close in, on good street. $500 down.
JAKEMAN REALTY
60 Arcade Bldg. Phone G 0713

$1000 DOWN FOR REVENUE-PROducing home near sea. Walking distance on a lovely street. Three-room suite for owner. Two bathrooms. Revenue about $34 a month. Phone us to view.
$1900—STUCCO BUNGALOW BEST Gorge district. A complete home. A bargain price. Terms.
GARDEN CITY REALTY
27 Arcade Building Phone E 6635

78 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

NEWCOMER FROM SASKATCHEWAN—I have $1,300 to invest in small bungalow for renting purposes. Please state number and street. I will not disturb your tenants. Box 5450, Colonist.

WANTED—4 OR 5-ROOM BUNGALOW in good condition. Must be in Fairfield district. Price about $2,500. Terms reasonable. Give all particulars. No brokers. Box 5874, Colonist.

WE HAVE A LARGE NUMBER OF buyers for suitable homes. What have you for sale? Rosevear Company, 114 Union Building. G 6041

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

CHOICE BUILDING LOTS
IDEAL LOCATION ON GOOD STREET Gorge district. Prices from $150
ALSO NORTH QUADRA DISTRICT—Good lot (56 x 120) with fruit trees. Price $300
FLEMING GARDNER & CO.
313 Scollard Bldg. Phone G 7741

WATERFRONT PROPERTIES
A few very select parcels at very popular prices, on Roberts Bay and Shoal Harbor, near Sidney.
$250 and up
E. Roberts, Sidney, B.C.

255 ACRES GOOD LAND, EDMONTON district. 145 acres under cultivation, 80 acres alfalfa, 25 acres Summer fallow, pleasantly situated, main road. $4,000, $1,000 cash, balance trade property Victoria or district. Box 3420, Colonist.

80C OAK BAY
NICE BUILDING LOT, FLORENCE Street, Oak Bay—Paved and boulevarded street. Local improvement taxes all paid up. Size approximately 60 x 120. $225 cash. Conyers-Wilders Co., 621 Broughton Street.

80D SAANICH
WATERFRONT LOTS AT BAYWARD Beach, 50x100, lovely view, electric light and water. $175. Box 5206, Colonist. Phone Sidney 110W

81 PROPERTY WANTED

SAANICH PROPERTY OWNERS
LIST YOUR LOTS OR HOMES FOR SALE with us. We specialize in Saanich properties. Cash buyers on hand.
SAANICH REALTY COMPANY
2560 Quadra Street Phone E 0081

86 FARMS FOR RENT

SMALL FARM OF 4½ ACRES, ALL cleared. Three-roomed cottage. Will rent free. Alfred Carmichael & Co., Ltd., 1513 Broad Street. G 7341.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN OSBORNE, Deceased, Late of Victoria, British Columbia

NOTICE is hereby given that any creditors and others having claims or demands against the estate of the said John Osborne who died on or about the 5th day of March, A.D. 1940, are required on or before the 28th day of March, A.D. 1941, to send by post prepaid, or deliver to Mr. Jack Kingsberry, 311 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C., the administrator with the will annexed of the said estate, their names and addresses and full particulars of their claims, verified by statutory declaration, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them.

And take notice that after such last-mentioned date the said Jack Kingsberry will proceed to distribute the said estate among those entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the said administrator will not be liable for the proceeds of the said estate or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 21st day of February, A.D. 1941.
JACK KINGSBERRY,
Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of John Osborne, Deceased.

HIGH LOCATION
This modern home is situated in three acres of ground, beautifully treed. The artistic bungalow of five rooms has an individuality both inside and out not found in the ordinary home. Hot-air furnace, garage. Taxes are extremely low. Price $4000
MARA, BATE & CO., LTD.
666 Fort Street Phone E 7124

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA

FOR SALE

TAKE notice that by virtue of powers contained in By-Law No. 3648 of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, I shall sell by public auction on Tuesday, the 25th day of February, 1941, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon at the City Garbage Wharf, situated at the West end of Pleasant Street, Victoria, B.C., the following dogs:
1 Belgian police, male.
1 Wire hair terrier, male.

WM. S. ELFORD,
City Pound Keeper
City Hall, Victoria, B.C.,
February 20, 1941.

LAKEHILL
2½-MILE CIRCLE
4 Rooms - ½ Acre
Here is a four-room home, plastered, two-piece bathroom; good garden lot, approx. quarter acre; adjoining quarter acre can be bought at a cheap price. House needs some paint. Full price, only (terms) $1250
Exclusively by
Arthur E. Haynes, Ltd.
739 Fort St. Evening Phone G 3330

4 AND 5
Room Bungalows With Basements and Furnaces

ARM STREET	$2900
CRAIGFLOWER	$2100
PENTLAND ROAD	$2750
SUTHERLAND	$3750
TRANSIT ROAD	$4000
BURNSIDE ROAD	$1800
YEW STREET	$2000
WELLINGTON	$3500
CEDAR HILL	$2600
TORONTO STREET	$1800
CORNWALL	$2650
MOSS STREET	$2750
HOLLY STREET	$3100
BATTERY STREET	$1800
FIFTH STREET	$3500
NORTH DAIRY	$2100
ALBINA	$2450
SAVANNAH	$3100
INVERNESS ROAD	$2500
WALTON AVE.	$2500
McTAVISH	$2300
RICHMOND AVE.	$3150
QUADRA	$3100
ORILLIA	$2500
RAYNOR	$3000
WILKINSON ROAD	$2000
CARROL STREET	$2100
ALBINA	$2450

We Also Have 1,756 Other Listings to Show You

E. B. HAWKINS & CO.
307 Scollard Bldg. Phone E 4111

Queen City Realty
621 SCOLLARD BLOCK—E 3534
Eight rooms, four bedrooms, furnace, central location, 50 x 125 ft. lot $1950
$300 cash, $33 per month
Dallas Road. Beautiful, three-bedroom home, large living and dining-room, furnace. Large lot. Owner leaving city $5500 Terms
Two houses, rented, Gorge Rd., close in. $2500 for both
Five houses, well rented, $178 month, furnished 1st extra. See these.
$1000 Buys six-roomed modern home.

EXCEPTIONAL VALUES
$3000 will purchase duplex with revenue of $40.00 per month. Taxes $36 per annum. $1,300 cash, balance arranged.
$2800 will purchase five-roomed bungalow in pleasant situation. Large living-room; two bedrooms; bathroom and sunroom, basement and furnace.
$800 will purchase six-roomed bungalow on Quadra Street.
$685 will purchase three acres, all cleared, just off East Saanich Road. High location. Taxes, $3 per annum.
WISE & CO., LTD.
109 Pemberton Building

QUICK ACTION SPECIAL
1152 PEMBROKE ST.
$1,000 Cash gives you immediate possession of this excellent six-room bungalow, with garage and furnace in wonderful shape, full cement basement. Full price (which includes interior decorating to be completed) $2100
Listed Exclusively by
Johnston & Co.
LIMITED
1214 BROAD ST. E 8361, E 8121

SAANICH
High Quadra district. Very attractive five-room bungalow with full basement. Only two years old. Two very nice lots in garden and nicely treed.
$4000
Van der Vliet, Cabeldu & May, Ltd.
Real Estate and Insurance
1228 BROAD ST. PHONE E 7175

FULLY FURNISHED HOME AT
BRENTWOOD
Close to Mill Bay Ferry wharf, bus terminus, stores, etc. Four cozy rooms and large glassed-in veranda. Nice granite fireplace, electric light; modern three-piece bathroom, garage and woodshed. This is not just a Summer cottage, but a permanent home, has all conveniences of the city and exceptionally well furnished. Frigidaire, electric range, radio, etc.
FOR RENT OR FOR SALE
Swinerton & Co., Ltd.
620 Broughton Street—Exclusive Agents

OAK BAY SEA FRONTAGE
Specially designed home to obtain maximum view of sea and mountains. Large living-room, 24 x 16 feet, oak floors, dining-room and den, compact kitchen, 4 bedrooms downstairs, Pembroke bath, cement basement, hot-water furnace, Oil-O-Matic, 100-foot waterfrontage.
We are in a position to deliver this property considerably below the market value, namely $8,500
Henley, Hepburn & Co.
LIMITED
727 Fort Street Telephone E 4117

PEMBERTON'S
OAK BAY
TODAY'S BARGAIN
$3350 TERMS
$3150 CASH
Four nice rooms
Dinette.
Hardwood floors.
Fireplace.
Linoleum.
Full-size basement.
Furnace.
Garage in basement.
Modern bathroom.
Good location.
South of Avenue.
Low taxes.

STUCCO DUPLEX
BRAND NEW, close in, excellent situation. A ready-made investment with a sure 15 per cent on your money $5500

GORGE VIEW
NEW, FIVE-ROOM, modern, shake-siding bungalow, facing south with a view over the water. Entrance hall, good-sized dining-room. Lovely oak floors. Tiled bath and sink. Especially nice $4000

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION
Close to Victoria High School
Five-room stucco bungalow in splendid condition. Large living-room and dining-room, oak floors; new sawdust burner. Lot 50 x 106 $3250
Additional lot, 60 x 135, available $225
Ask for Mr. Gilmer
Resident directors:
H. C. HOLMES E. H. GILMER
625 FORT ST. PEMBERTON BLDG.
Garden 8124

JAMES BAY SPECIAL
$2150 BUYS UNIQUE SIX-ROOM COTTAGE bungalow, spic and span. Very sunny house, new floors, polished; new furnace, separate garage, cement walks and runways. You positively cannot beat this. To view, by appointment only.
GORGE—TWO CHARMING BUNGALOWS, four rooms each. Absolutely modern in every detail. Prices, $3150 and $3250
SEVERAL FINE LITTLE PROPERTIES AT GORDON HEAD — One acre and new bungalow, four acres and new bungalow, also four acres and new three-room bungalow.
E. E. HEATH
626 YATES ST. PHONE E 1841

SAANICH HOME
Comfortable cottage. Five rooms, bathroom, fine garden, fruit trees, etc., two lots. High location. Price $1600

OAK BAY
Well-built stucco home of seven rooms. Four bedrooms, oak floors; full basement, furnace. Good location, near sea and schools $4500
Heisterman, Forman & Co.
606 VIEW STREET

JAMES BAY
Five-room bungalow. Nice location, separate garage and woodshed. Very clean condition. A good rental proposition $1800

SAANICH
We have two nearly new bungalows in good locations. One has 4 rooms, 3-piece bath, garage in basement, double lot.
Cash $2600
The other has separate garage. Terms $2600

CITY
Rooming house. Nine rooms, all suites rented. $1,000 will handle. Price $2900

J. H. Whittome & Co.
LIMITED
110 PEMBERTON BLDG. E 8712
Also at Duncan

CARMICHAEL'S
HIGH QUADRA — Five-roomed stucco. High location, lovely view $2800
SIX-ROOMED BUNGALOW — Modern appointments. Finest view obtainable. Lovely garden $3650
VIEW ROYAL—Very attractive waterfront secluded home of five rooms and extra room in basement. Sheltered bay. Glorious views and attractive garden $4250
GORGE—Seven-room modern brick and stucco bungalow. Artistic in the extreme, and of the highest workmanship. Quite the best at the price $6450
Alfred Carmichael & Co., Limited
1513 BROAD ST. PHONE G 7341

$2200 Buys
A SPOTLESS 5-ROOM HOME—Only a half-block to transportation, with front room and open fireplace, dining-room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom, basement. A very nice garden lot kept in splendid shape, with vegetable garden at the back of home, and lawn in front, together with flower borders. There is also 7 or 8 fruit trees on property, and garage. No one will go wrong in buying this property, we assure you.
SAANICH REALTY COMPANY
2560 QUADRA ST. PHONE E 0081

JAMES BAY
FIVE-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW with extra room at back; fireplace, recently decorated. Rented at $22.00. Vacant March 1. Garage. Garden with fruit. This property is better than you would expect. Easy walking distance. Terms. Price $1250
(Exclusive Listing)
Esquimalt Waterfrontage
FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, dutch veranda. Private sandy cove. Home faces south and very pleasant. Price $3500
LARGE LOT—High Quadra. Ideal location. Price $325
MEHAREY & CO.
LIMITED
E 4197 604 FORT

GLIMPSE OF SEA
Pretty views of ocean; fine Oak Bay stucco bungalow of 5 rooms down and 2 up. Attractive looking. Surrounded by new homes. Living-room, 22 x 14.6. Very good-size dining-room. A fine kitchen with large breakfast nook. Bedrooms are all large; closets are wide and have windows in some. Tiled floor in bathroom; painted walls. Garage and laundry tubs in basement. Very good buying at $4500

WANTED
FOR CASH—An attractive semi-bungalow with four bedrooms, two bathrooms preferred. Hot water heated. Oak Bay or good part of city. Price not to exceed $6,500.

SEAFRONTAGE
A BEAUTIFUL LOCATION — Uninterrupted sea and mountain views. Convenient to Oak Bay Golf Links. Charming stucco residence, has one bedroom and washroom downstairs, two bedrooms, sleeping porch and bathroom upstairs. Very good-size living-room, with wide windows looking out to sea. Dining-room, fair size, and a cosy den with fireplace. Hot water heated. Extra large lot. Price $7000

COLONIAL TYPE
A very fine residence for the money. Seven good rooms. Extra large living-room, nothing cramped about this house. Inside just like new. A lovely garden. You could spend $500 and not have a nicer garden. Price $6000

B.C. LAND
& INVESTMENT AGENCY, LIMITED
922 GOVERNMENT STREET
Phones: G 4115-6 Night, E 2049

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OBSERVATORY HILL AREA
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Women's Institutes

VICTORIA

The Victoria W.I. will hold its business meeting this afternoon in the W.I. Rooms, 635 Fort Street.

LANGFORD

The monthly meeting of the Langford Institute will be held at the hall on Dunford Road at 2.30 p.m. next Tuesday. The memory of Mrs. Adelaide Hoodless will be commemorated. An enjoyable card party was held on Wednesday evening in the hall. The room was gay with daffodils, and refreshments were served. Mrs. H. Baynes and Mrs. W. Savory were first-prize winners at bridge. Mrs. Snelling and Mrs. G. Eldridge won the consolation awards. A card party will be held on Friday, February 28, at 2:30 p.m.

BRENTWOOD

The Brentwood Institute entertained about sixty Air Force boys at a dance and entertainment recently. The girls of the district decorated the hall for the occasion and supper was served by members ... be held at the home of Mrs. L. Hafer, Clark Avenue, on Tuesday afternoon at 2.15 o'clock, the proceeds of which will be in aid of war work. A sewing and knitting Red Cross meeting will be held at the Women's Institute Hall, Brentwood Bay, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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Victoria College Notes
By A PRESSETTE

The recent college co-ed dance was a grand success. It was generally agreed on the campus that it was the best managed and most enjoyable dance of the year, and the girls of the Women's Undergraduate Society were very proud of their Valentine decorations.

College students are eagerly waiting for the Kiwanis Cup Rugby game, to be played next Wednesday at the Victoria High School. This traditional game between Victoria High School and Victoria College was won last year by the High School team with a score of 8-3.

Mrs. Irene Baird spoke to college students at noon hour on Tuesday. The substance of Mrs. Baird's talk was the potentialities and opportunities of the youth of today.

Mid-term examinations have cast a temporary shadow over Victoria College, but they will be over by the end of next week.

DRAMATIC CLUB

A general meeting of the Esquimalt Dramatic Club will be held on March 1 at 8 p.m. in the Women's Institute Hall, Langford. Owing to illness among members of the cast, a concert scheduled to be given to the troops at Otter Point Camp this week, had to be postponed. On March 12 the club will give a concert at Cobble Hill, under the auspices of the Women's Institute in aid of their war effort.

OAK BAY GROUP

A series of lantern slides will be shown by H. C. Corbett, under the auspices of the Oak Bay United Church Group, this evening at 7.30 o'clock, in the Sunday school room of Oak Bay Church. The slides will depict scenes of Victoria, Banff and Yellowstone National Park, some of which will be in natural colors. A silver collection will be taken.

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- BLUE RIBBON BAKING POWDER—12-oz. tin, and 1 pkt. 1½ oz. Tea. Both for — 22c
- JAMESON'S TEA— 1-lb. pkt. — 65c
- BRUNSWICK CHICKEN HADDIE— Per tin — 14c
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- GRAPE-NUTS FLAKES — 2 pkts. 17c
- SWAN'S DOWN CAKE FLOUR— Per pkt. — 25c
- SMITH'S SAUCE— Per bottle — 10c
- AYLMER IRISH STEW— Per tin — 15c
- SWIFT'S PURE PORK SAUSAGE— 14-oz. tin — 19c
- NALLEY'S SWEET MIXED PICKLES— Per bottle — 27c
- PRINCESS SWEET MIXED PICKLES— 28-oz. bottle — 25c
- AYLMER GRAPE JUICE— 32-oz. bottle 37c; 14-oz. bottle 19c
- JAMESON'S COFFEE— 1-lb. pkt. — 48c
- BEST FOODS BREAD AND BUTTER PICKLE—15-oz. jar — 23c

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- NABOB or LIBBY'S GRAPEFRUIT JUICE—48-oz. tin — 24c
- DOLE'S PINEAPPLE JUICE— 13-oz. tin — 11c
- MAPLE LEAF WHOLE APRICOTS— 18-oz. tin — 12c
- GORDON HEAD LOGANBERRIES—2's, tall — 2 tins 25c
- AYLMER PRUNE PLUMS— 15-oz. tin — 10c
- GLEN VALLEY PEACHES— Per tin — 11c
- NORRIS GOLDEN SLICED PINEAPPLE—8-oz. tins — 3 for 25c
- HATZIC PEARS — 3 tins 27c
- GOLD REEF PINEAPPLE— (Sliced), large tin — 33c
- CLOVER LEAF HERRINGS IN TOMATO SAUCE—Per tin — 12c
- KARO CORN SYRUP— 2's, per tin — 17c
- SMOKED SALT— 2-lb. tin — 25c
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- PRIDE OF CANADA MAPLE SYRUP— Per bottle — 33c
- SPENCER'S PORK AND BEANS in Tomato Sauce—16-oz. tins — 3 for 25c
- ARMOUR'S POTTED MEAT— For Sandwiches — 4 tins 25c
- C. & B. MUSHROOM SOUP or CHICKEN BROTH — 2 tins 25c
- CHASE & SANBORNE COFFEE— 1-lb. tin — 50c (Fleischmann's Yeast Fresh Daily)
- ORMOND'S SODA BISCUITS— Large pkt. — 19c
- JELL-O or JELL-O PUDDINGS — 3 pkts. 19c

LIBBY'S SPECIALS
- SPAGHETTI AND MEAT— 16-oz. tin — 13c
- CATCHUP— Large bottle — 17c
- PORK AND BEANS— 20-oz. tin — 10c
- SPAGHETTI AND CHEESE— 16-oz. tins — 3 for 25c
- TOMATO SOUP — 4 tins 27c
- VEGETABLE SOUP — 2 tins 15c

- LYNN VALLEY GREEN PEAS — 3 tins 27c
- ROYAL PRINCE GOLDEN BANTAM CORN — 3 tins 27c
- LUNCHOUR CUT GREEN BEANS — 3 tins 28c
- AYLMER TOMATOES— 15-oz. tins — 3 for 27c

BISCUIT SPECIALS
- FIVE SISTERS— Assorted, per lb. — 21c
- LEMON GEMS— Per lb. — 18c
- CHOCOLATE MACAROONS— Per lb. — 25c
- CHRISTIE'S PREMIUM SODAS— 1-lb. pkt. — 20c
- CHRISTIE'S PREMIUM SODAS— Small pkt. — 10c

- COLUMBIA PORK AND BEANS— Per tin — 6c
- SPENCER'S POP CORN— Large Cellophane bag — 10c
- SPENCER'S VINEGAR— Malt or White, per bottle — 25c and 15c
- NABOB or EMPRESS PURE STRAWBERRY JAM—4-lb. tin — 47c
- MURRAY'S APPLE AND STRAWBERRY JAM—4-lb. tin — 38c
- AYLMER ORANGE MARMALADE— 4-lb. tin — 37c
- NABOB SPECIAL MARMALADE—Orange, Lemon and Grapefruit, 4-lb. tin — 39c
- CRISCO— 1-lb. tin 20c; 3-lb. tin 55c
- RED RIVER CEREAL— Per pkt — 23c and 45c
- SPENCER'S FULL FLAVORED JELLY POWDER—Per pkt. — 5c
- AUSTRALIAN PASTRY FLOUR— 16-lb. cotton sack 42c; 5-lb. cotton sack 22c
- PUREX TOILET TISSUE — 3 rolls 20c
- RED, WHITE AND BLUE TOILET TISSUE — 3 rolls 9c
- SHINOLA FLOOR WAX— Per tin — 24c
- WOODBURY'S FACIAL SOAP — 4 cakes 24c
- PRINCESS SOAP FLAKES— Large pkt., 38c, small pkt., 1c. Both for — 39c
- CHIPSO or OXYDOL— Large pkt. — 21c
- P. & G. SOAP— Per bar — 4c
- ROYAL CROWN SOAP— Per bar — 4c
- PALMOLIVE SOAP — 2 cakes 9c
- S.O.S.— Large pkt. — 19c

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- TOMATO KETCHUP— 11-oz. bottle — 18c
- STRAINED FOODS— All varieties — 3 for 25c
- SOUPS—All varieties except Turtle and Consomme, 16-oz. tins — 2 for 25c
- CHILI SAUCE or TOMATO CHUTNEY—8-oz. bottles — 18c

WHILE QUANTITIES LAST!

RELIEF PLAN IS RECEIVED

Province Is to Assume Payments of Federal Government

Mayor Andrew McGavin announced yesterday on his return from a Union of British Columbia Municipalities executive conference at Vancouver, that the Provincial Government intended to assume Federal Government contributions to city relief for the duration of the war.

Concern was recently expressed by the City Council when aldermen learned that the Federal Government intended to suspend payments to the city on behalf of those in receipt of relief. On the present basis of 20 per cent of the cost put up by the city, 40 per cent by the Provincial Goverfiment, and 40 per cent from Ottawa, the Federal Government has been providing the city with approximately $50,000 per year.

It was revealed by the Mayor that the information on the new relief set-up came from Hon. A Wells Gray, Minister of Municipalities; E. H. Bridgman, deputy minister, and Hon. G. S. Pearson, Minister of Labor

CIVIL RE-ESTABLISHMENT

During the conference, Captain C R. Bull, M.P.P., read a paper on re-establishment of members of the armed forces after the war. Mayor McGavin, Alderman George C Miller, Vancouver; Mayor C. E. Scanlan, Kamloops, and Reeve R M Grauer, Richmond, were appointed members of a committee to discuss public works and other programmes with the Cabinet.

The executive heartily supported a plea of the Old Age Pensioners Association that pensions be increased to $30 per month and the pensionable age be reduced to sixty-five years.

During discussion on cheap money, Mayor McGavin contended that the Bank of Canada should make funds available at an interest rate of 1 per cent.

REV. J. C. SWITZER CALLED BY DEATH

Former Victoria Minister Passes Away in Vancouver—Funeral On Saturday



LATE REV. J. C. SWITZER B.A.

VANCOUVER, Feb 20 (CP)—Rev. James Cunningham Switzer, B.A. seventy-two, retired United Church clergyman who served a number of pastorates in British Columbia, died today. He will be buried here Saturday.

Born in Wellington County, Ont., Mrs. Switzer graduated from Wesley College, Winnipeg, and was ordained in 1896 into the Methodist Church. He filled pulpits in Sarnia, Ont.; Brandon, Man., and Kelowna, New Westminster, Victoria, North Vancouver and Vancouver

He entered the United Church at the time of union in 1925 and was first chairman of the settlement committee of the British Columbia conference

He leaves his widow a son, Rev Dr Gerald B Switzer, Vancouver, and a daughter Mrs Ewart H Morgan, in Winnipeg

FORMER MANITOBA MINISTER PASSES

F. M. Black, Long Prominent in Western Mining Marketing And Political Circles

VANCOUVER, Feb 20 (CP) — Francis Mollison Black, Provincial Treasurer and Minister of Telephone for Manitoba from 1922 to 1926 and prominent figure in mining and marketing circles in Western Canada died here yesterday He was seventy

Born in Kilmarnock, Scotland, Mr Black came to Vancouver in 1891 He was the original developer of Kootenay Belle Mine, played an active part in the British Columbia Chamber of Mines, and was a director of the British Columbia Fruit Marketing Board

He was married in 1895 and joined Pat Burns & Company in Calgary in Alberta He served with the Public Utilities Commission in 1917 before moving to Winnipeg to become treasurer of the United Grain Growers' Association He then became active in politics and later was made minister

He leaves his widow, a son, Dr Donald Black, Kelowna, B.C., and three daughters, Marjorie and Charlotte at home and Dr Eleanor Black, Winnipeg.

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What Today Means

"PISCES"

If February 21 is your birthday the best hours for you on this date are from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., from 3 to 5 p.m., and from 9 to 11 p.m. The danger periods are from 9 to 11 a.m. from 7 to 8 p.m., and from 11 p.m. until midnight.

An unaccountable shyness will retard many people from making the headway that they should on February 21; so hold up your head, throw out your chest, and do not be afraid to blow your own horn. Progressive methods must characterize the work of money-makers, for antiquated ones will be regarded with disdain. Straightforward, unpleasant facts should be sugar-coated as much as possible on this date, if you wish them to be accepted with any semblance of graciousness. In the field of sports there may be an unusual exhibition of gameness, and the venturesome spirit displayed by many persons will be the primary cause of a great deal of enthusiasm. Married and engaged couples, and those whose professions of love have attracted attention, will display good judgment if they listen to the promptings of their hearts, rather than to cold reasoning

If a woman and February 21 is your birthday, skill, rather than strength, may win you much praise. You should display marked ability in work of an intellectual nature. Never contract the habit of being domineering if you have the slightest desire to be popular. Through leadership you may exercise a great deal of influence and accomplish much good. Be loyal in your friendships and unselfish in your home circle if you wish to experience the satisfaction that comes from the gratitude of friends and family. Through your activity as a secretary, librarian, modiste, designer, artist, teacher, saleslady, author, singer, musician, or business director you should find yourself regarded as an outstanding success. Your individual efforts and those of your husband should make your marriage one of mutual contentment and happiness, so work together if you wish to get the right results.

The child born on February 21 generally develops into an exceptionally trustworthy youngster, whose capacity for doing good appears, at times, to be unlimited. Children born on this date can be expected to obtain far-reaching results upon attaining their maturity.

If a man and February 21 is your natal day, through contacting the public you will probably get your best results. Let your love for your country come next to that for your family, if you wish to be respected and prosperous. Cherish only worthy ambitions, the culmination of which will benefit others as well as yourself. As a public official, business manager, manufacturer, publisher, educator, musician, financier, chemist, or writer, your financial returns and widespread recognition should make you very happy and well satisfied

WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE—

And You'll Jump Out of Bed in the Morning Rarin' to Go

The liver should pour out two pounds of liquid bile into your bowels daily. If this bile is not flowing freely, your food doesn't digest. It just decays in the bowels. Gas bloats up your stomach. You get constipated. Harmful poisons go into the body, and you feel sour, sunk and the world looks punk.

A mere bowel movement doesn't always get at the cause. You need something that works on the liver as well. It takes those good old Carter's Little Liver Pills to get those two pounds of bile flowing freely and make you feel "up and up". Harmless and gentle, they make the bile flow freely. They do the work of calomel but have no calomel or mercury in them. Ask for Carter's Little Liver Pills by name! Stubbornly refuse anything else. 25c.

NANAIMO, Feb 20 — Nanaimo School Board has announced the appointment of Miss Ruth Brown as clerk of city schools to take the place of E. R. "Ted" Hamilton, who enlisted in the Royal Air Force